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ATTO PRIMO

ACT I.

SCENE:

LA CHIESA DI SANT'ANDREA DELLA VALLE.
THE CHURCH OF SANT'ANDREA DELLA VALLE.

A destra la Cappella Attavanti. A sinistra un impalcato: su di esso un gran quadro coperto da tela. Attrezzi vari da pittore. Un paniere.

R. The Attavanti Chapel. L. Scaffolding, dais, easel supporting a large picture covered by a cloth. Accessories of the painting craft. A basket.

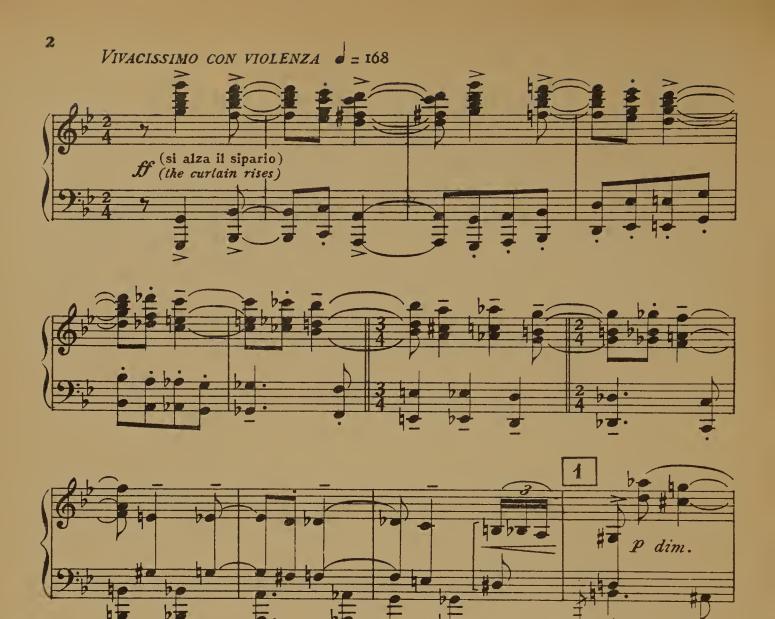


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(Angelotti vestito da prigioniero, lacero, sfatto tremante dalla paura, entra ansante, quasi corren-(Enter Angelotti L. in prison-garb, harrassed, dishevelled, panic-stricken, wellnigh breathless with







(ha un moto di spavento - poi torna a guardare attentamente intorno a sè con più calma a riconoscere il luogo)

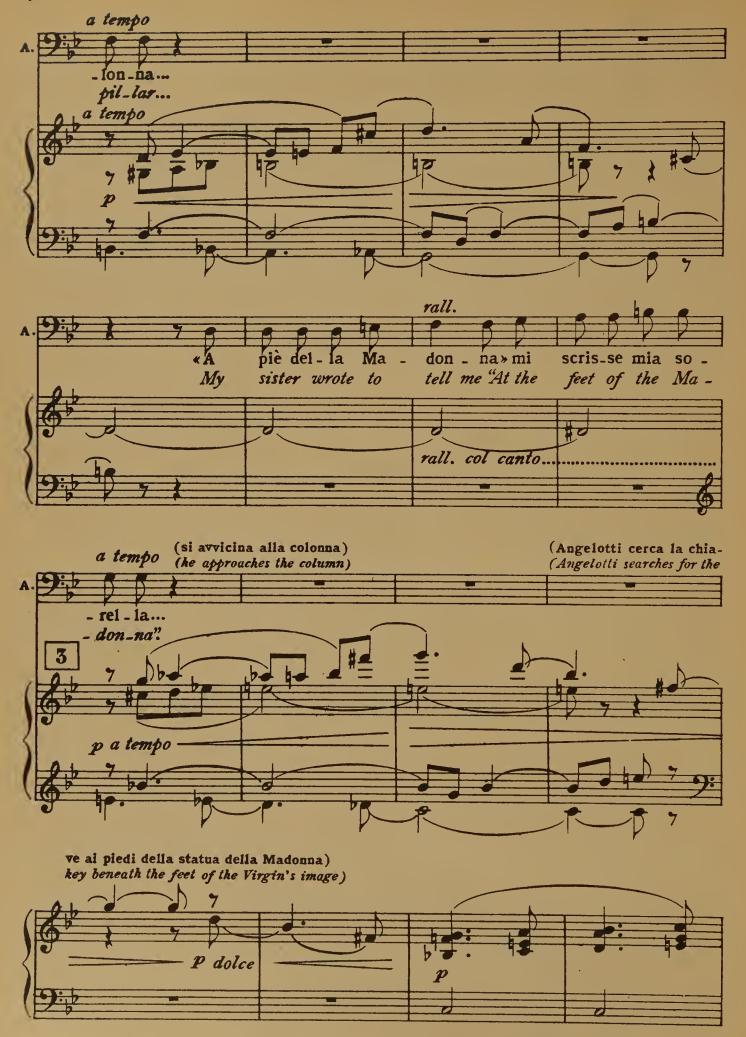
(Shuddering, he again looks round him, curiously and somewhat more calmly than before)



(dà un sospiro di sollievo vedendo la colonna colla pila dell'acqua santa e la Madonna) (He heaves a sigh of relief on recognising a pillar-shrine containing an image of the Virgin, and surmounting a receptacle for holy water) a piacere







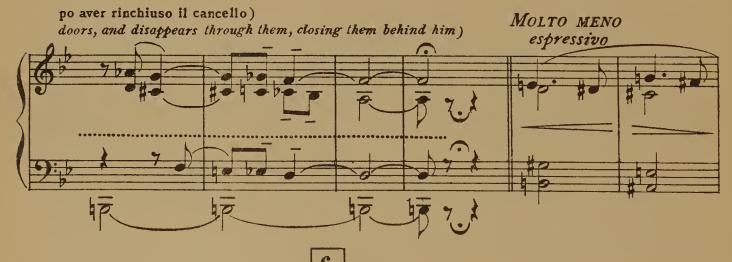


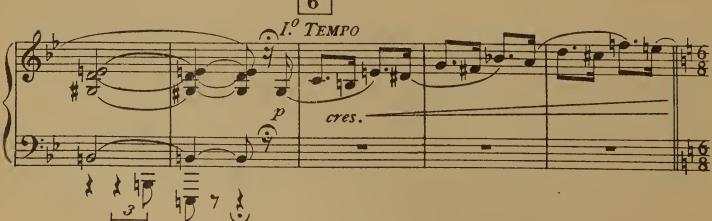
(preso da nuovo timore d'essere splato, si guarda d'attorno, poi si dirige alla (stricken anew with alarm by the notion that he has been tracked, he looks timo-



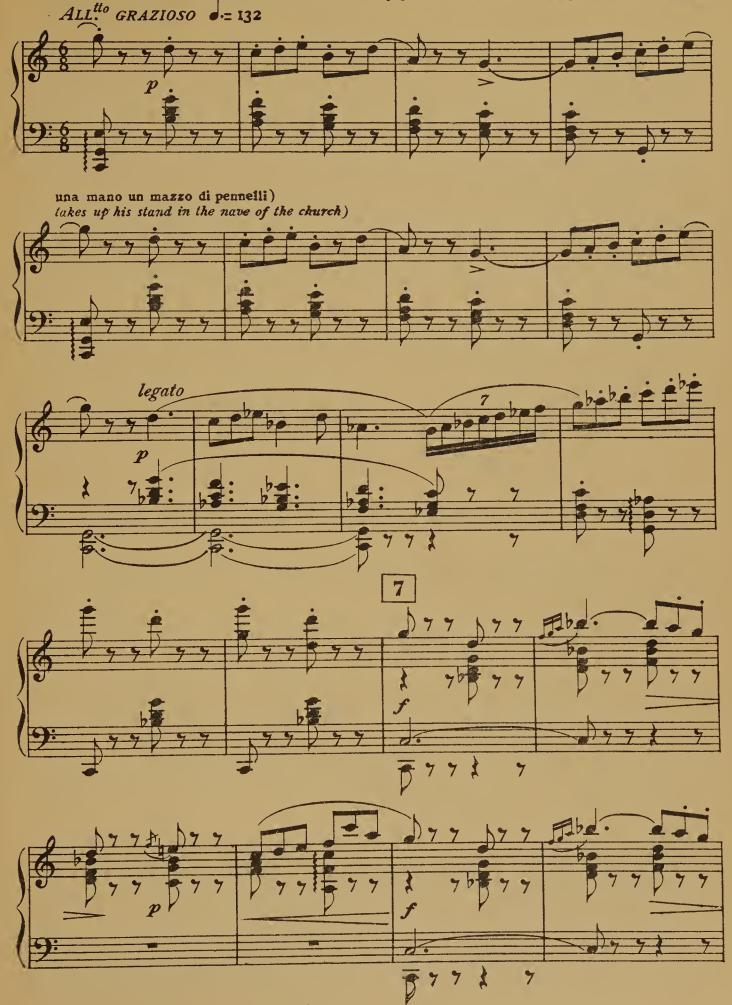
Cappella, con gran precauzione introduce la chiave nella serratura, apre la cancellata e scompare, dorously about him, creeps up to the Chapel-gates, carefully inserts the key in the keyhole, opens the folding-

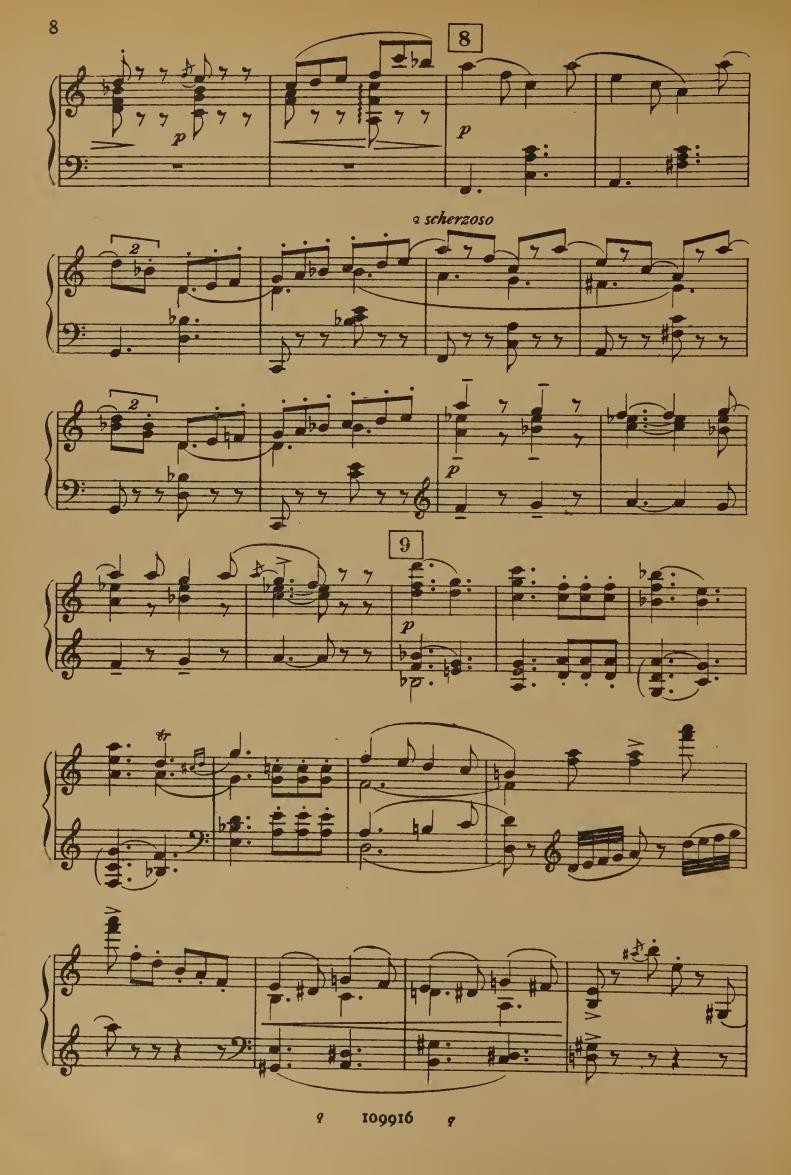


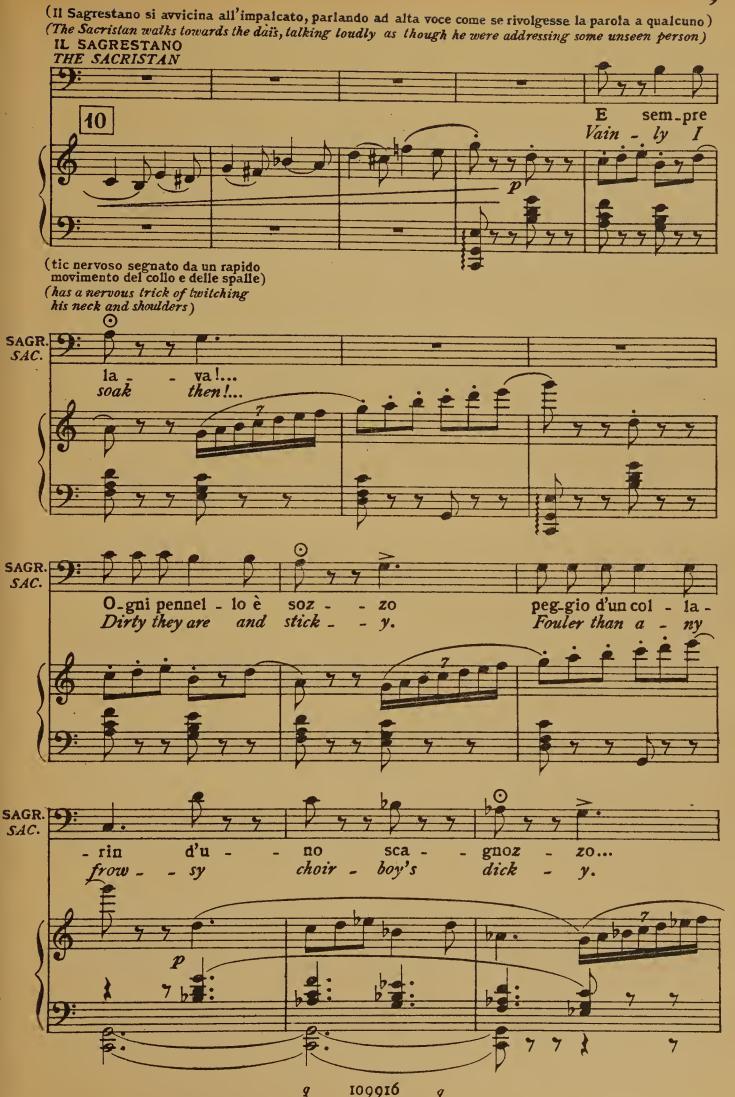


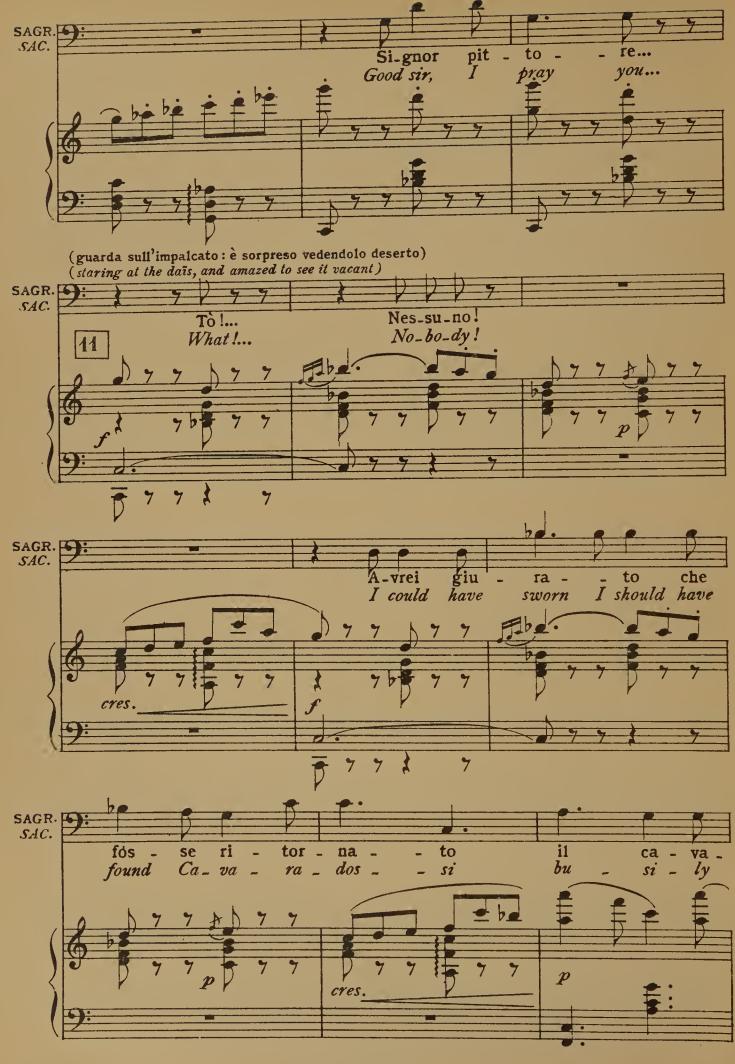


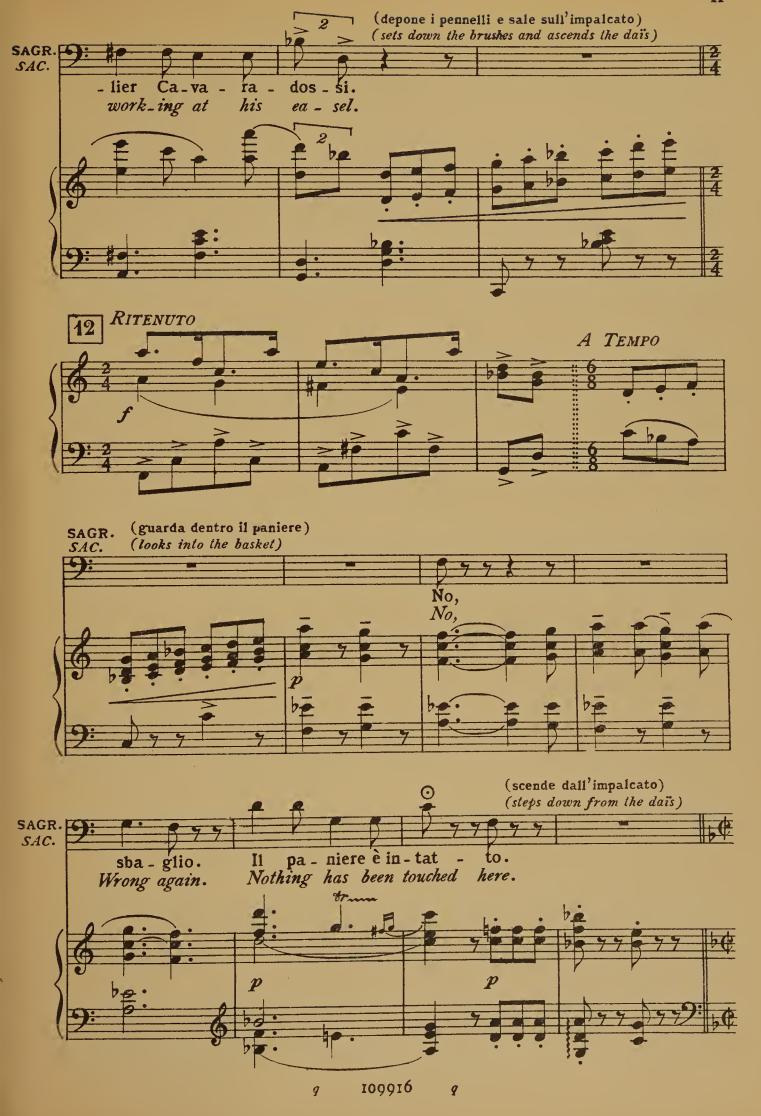
(Il Sagrestano appare dal fondo: va da destra a sinistra, accudendo al governo della chiesa: avrà in (Enter Sacristan C. grasping in one hand a bundle of paint-brushes. He crosses from L. to R. ar d then





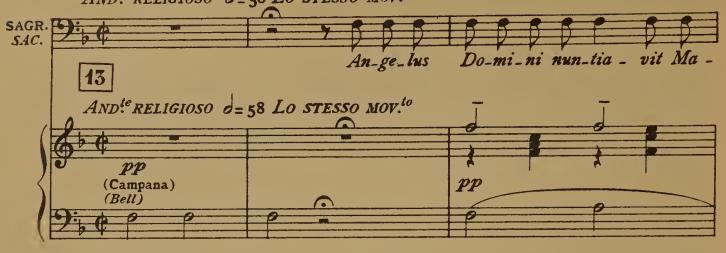




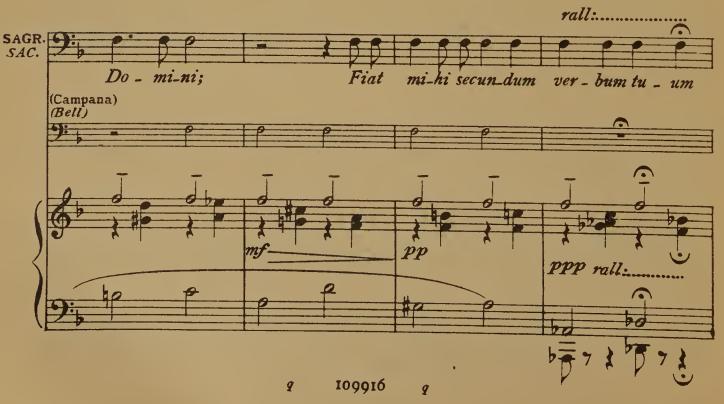


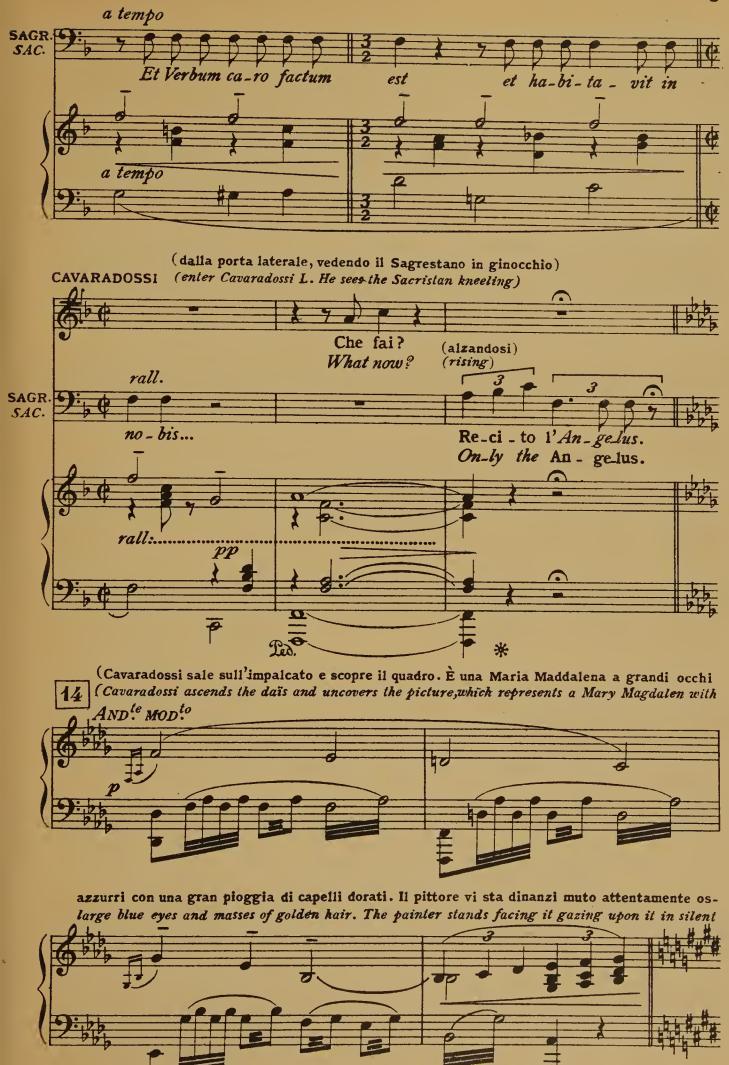
(suona l'Angelus - Il Sagrestano si inginocchia e prega sommesso:)
(the Angelus is rung - The Sacristan kneels and intones the prayer)

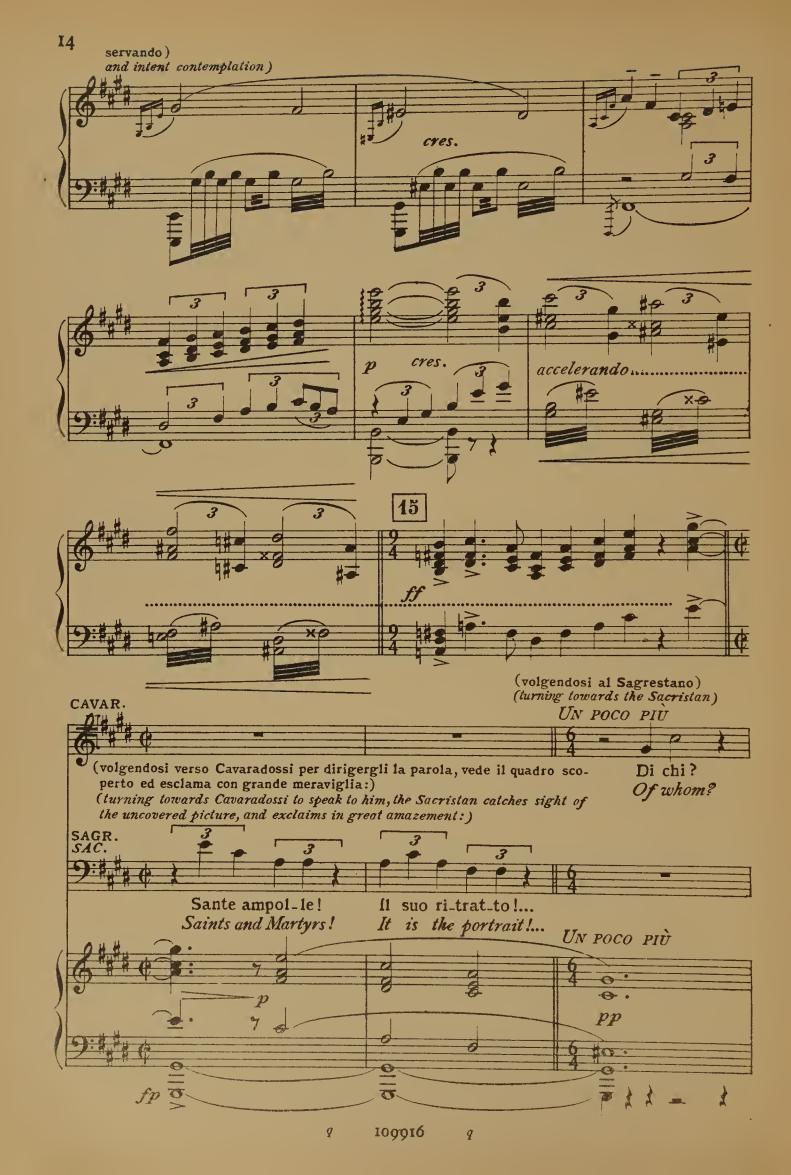
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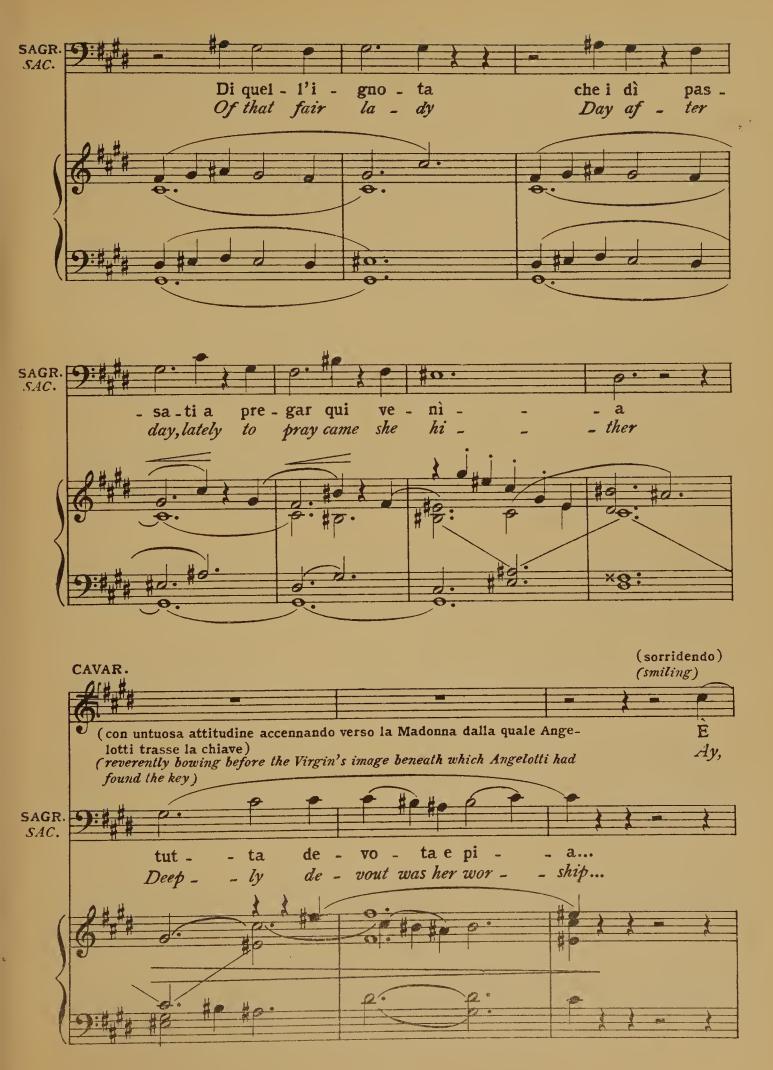


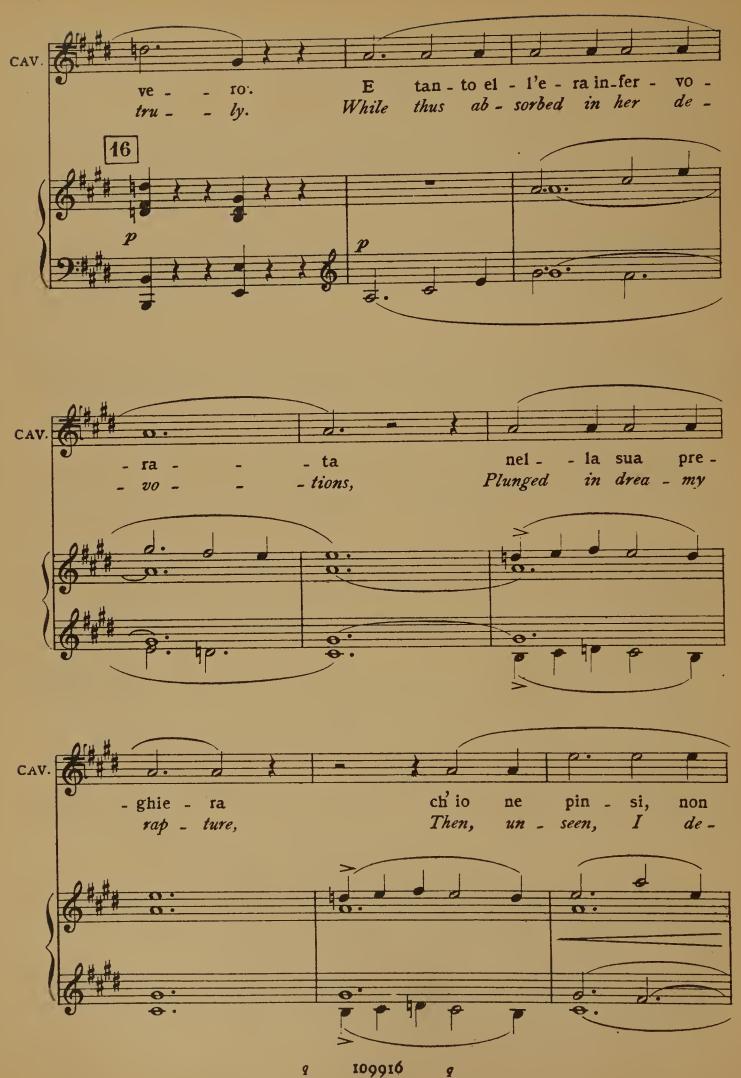


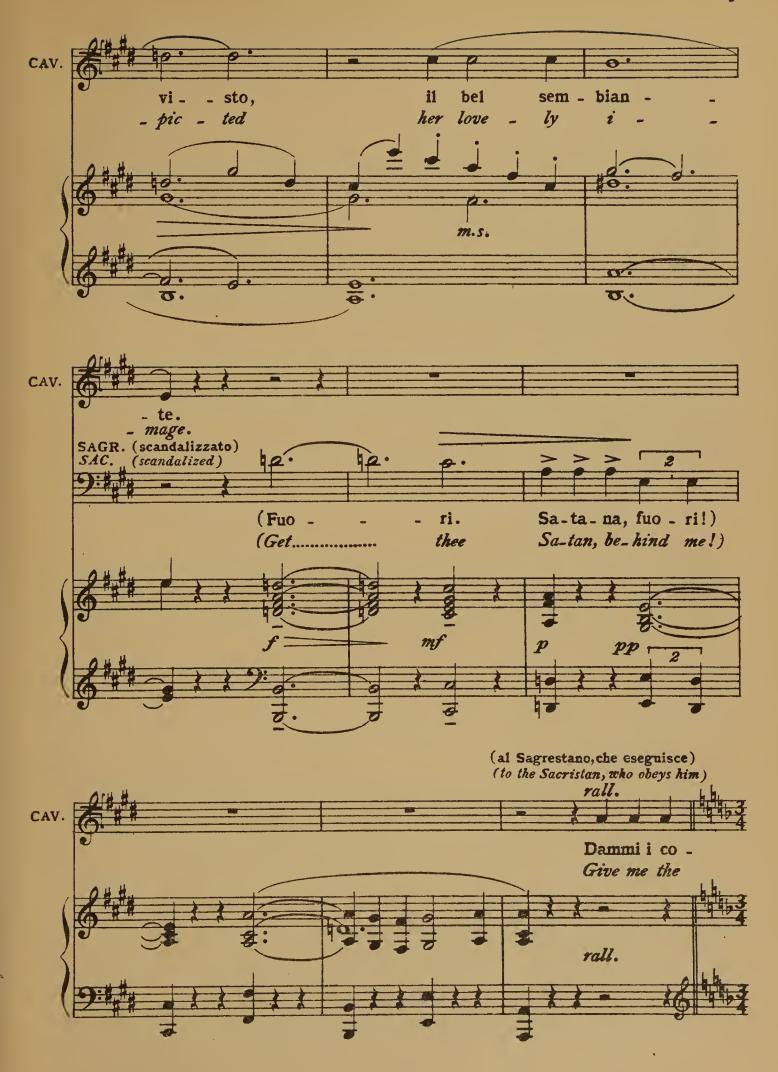






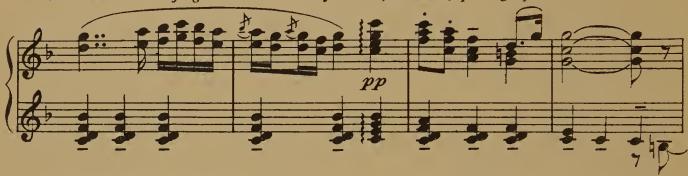








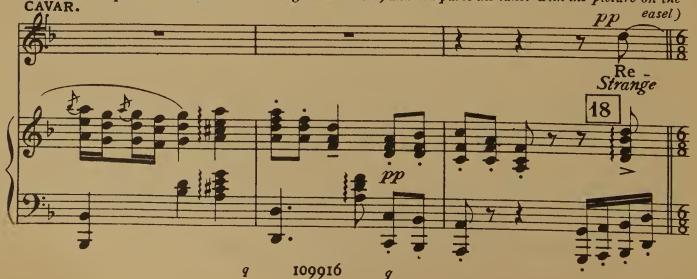
dare il proprio lavoro, mentre il Sagrestano va e viene, poi riprende i pennelli che lava in una cawhile the Sacristan fidgets backwards and forwards, eventually picking up the brushes and dab-

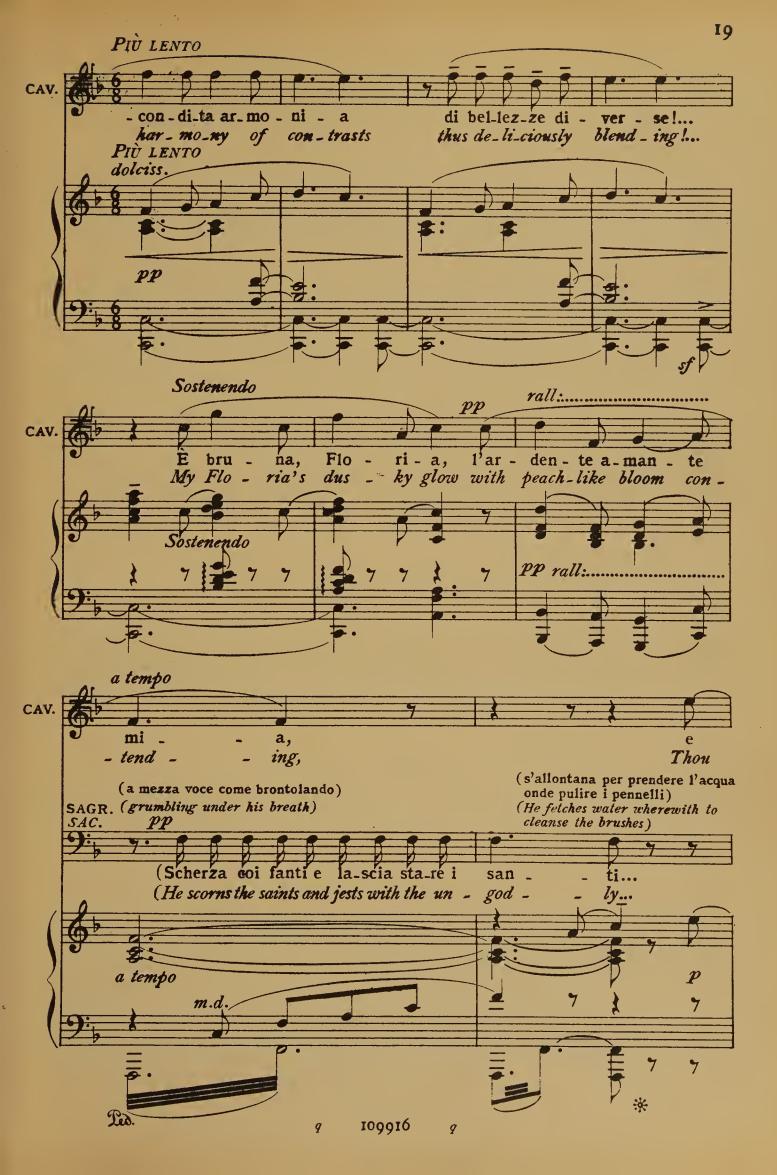


tinella al piedi dell'impalcato) (Cavaradossi ristà dal dipingere: leva di ta bling them in a bucket at the foot of the scaffolding) (Cav. suddenly stops painting, takes out of

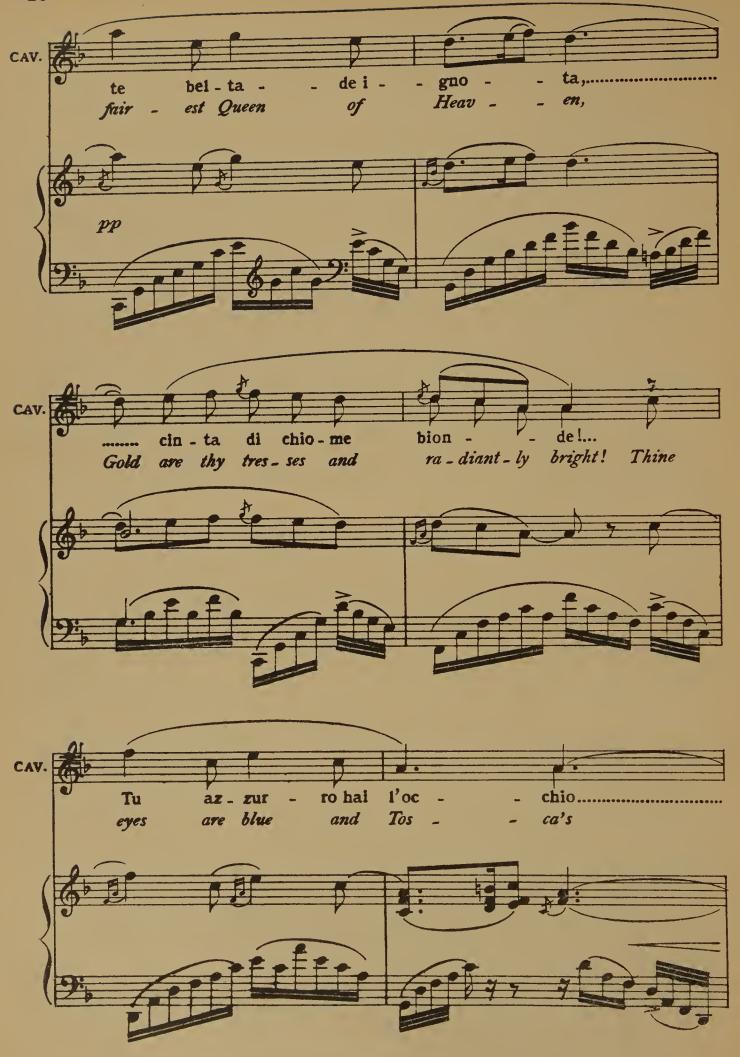


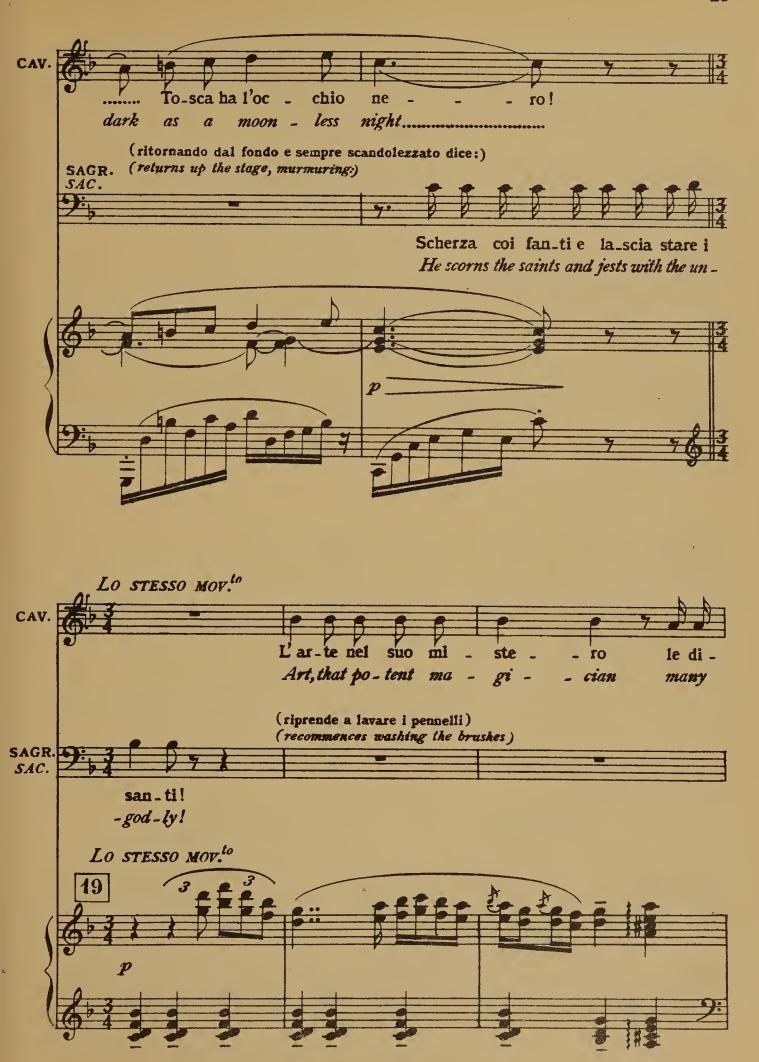
sca un medaglione contenente una miniatura e gli occhi suoi vanno dal medaglione al quadro)
his breast-pocket a medallion containing a miniature, and compares the latter with the picture on the
CAVAR.

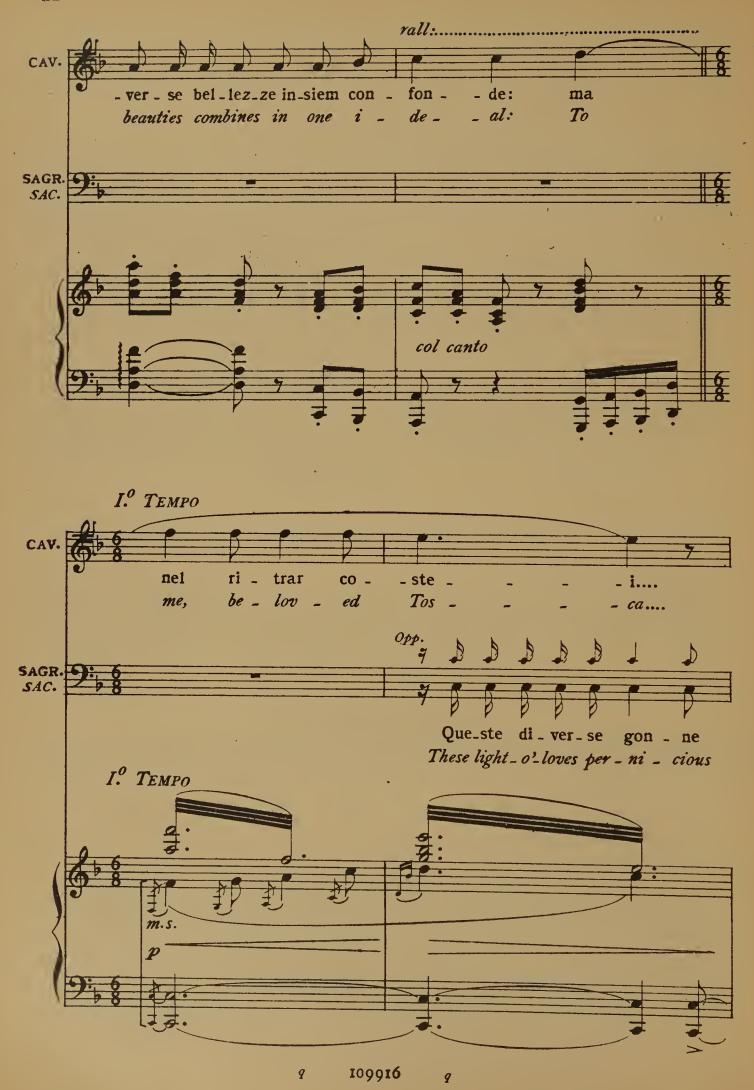




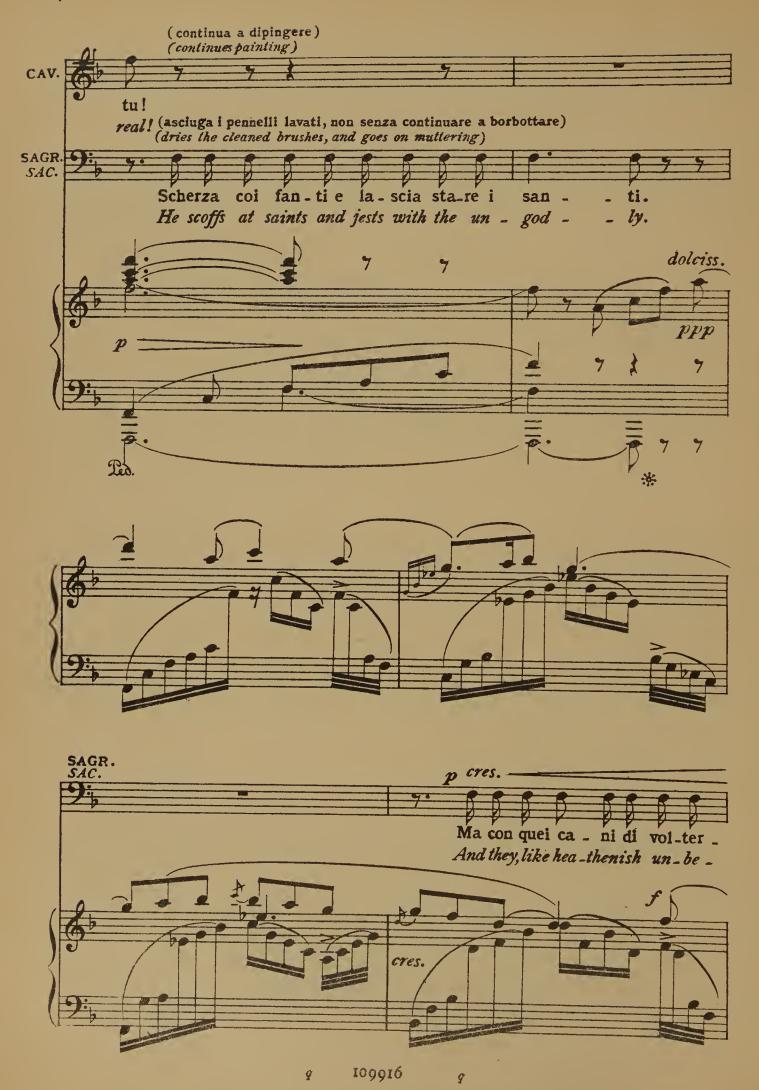


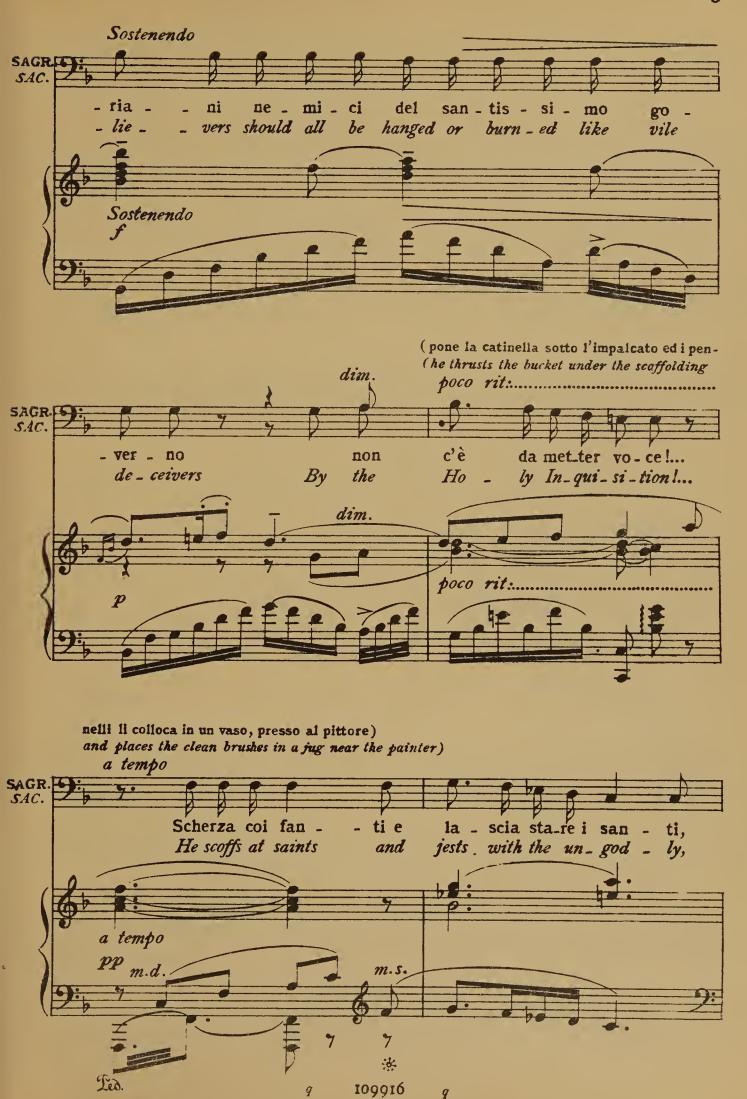


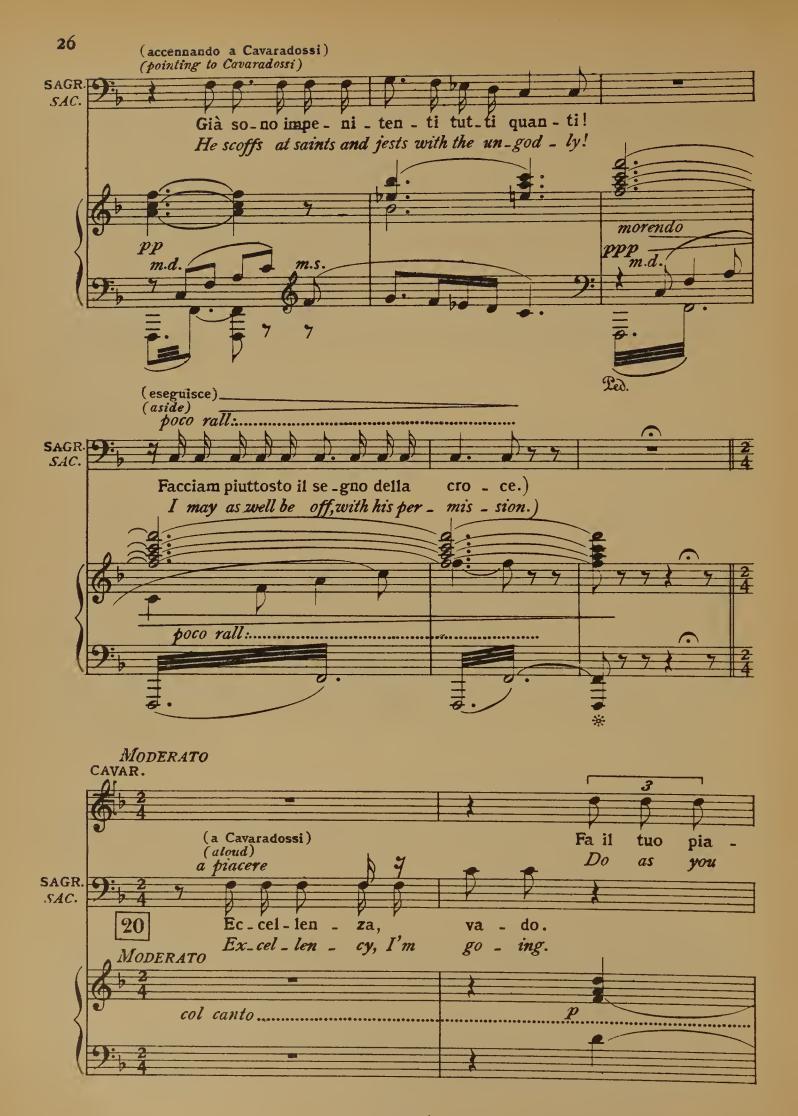


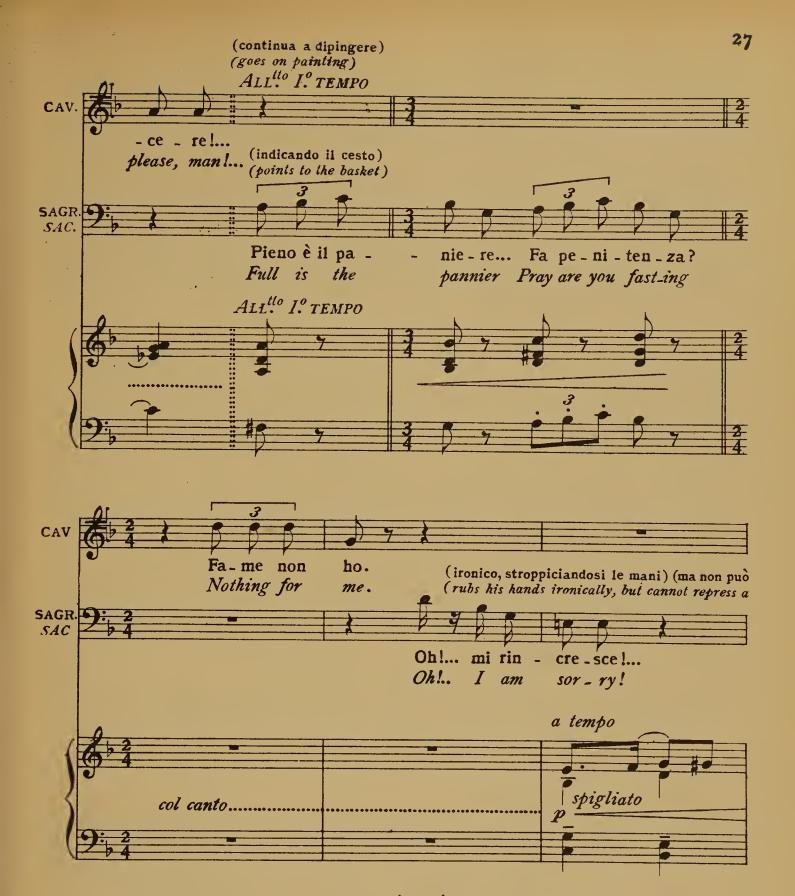












trattenere un gesto di gioia e uno sguardo d'avidità verso il cesto, che prende ponendolo un po'in joyous gesture and a greedy glance at the basket, which he picks up and sets aside)





(Cavaradossi volgendo le spalle alla Cappella lavora. Angelotti, credendo deserta la chiesa, appa-(Cav. continues to work, turning his back to the Chapel. Ang. believing the Church empty, appears be-



re dietro la cancellata e introduce la chiave per aprire)

hind the railing, and uses the key to open it)

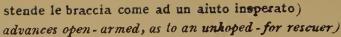
(Cav. hears the lock creak, and turns round)

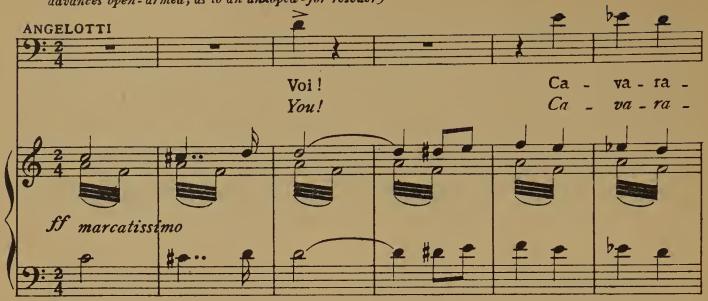


(al movimento fatto da Cavaradossi, Angelotti, atterrito, si arresta come per rifugiarsi ancora nella Cappella-ma-alzati gli occhi, un grido di gioia, che egli soffoca tosto tutto timoroso, erompe dal suo petto. Egli ha riconosciuto il pittore e gli

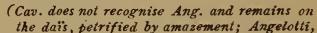
(Ang., alarmed by Cavaradossi's movement, is about to take refuge anew in the Chapel but utters a half-stifled cry of gladness on recognising the painter, towards whom he







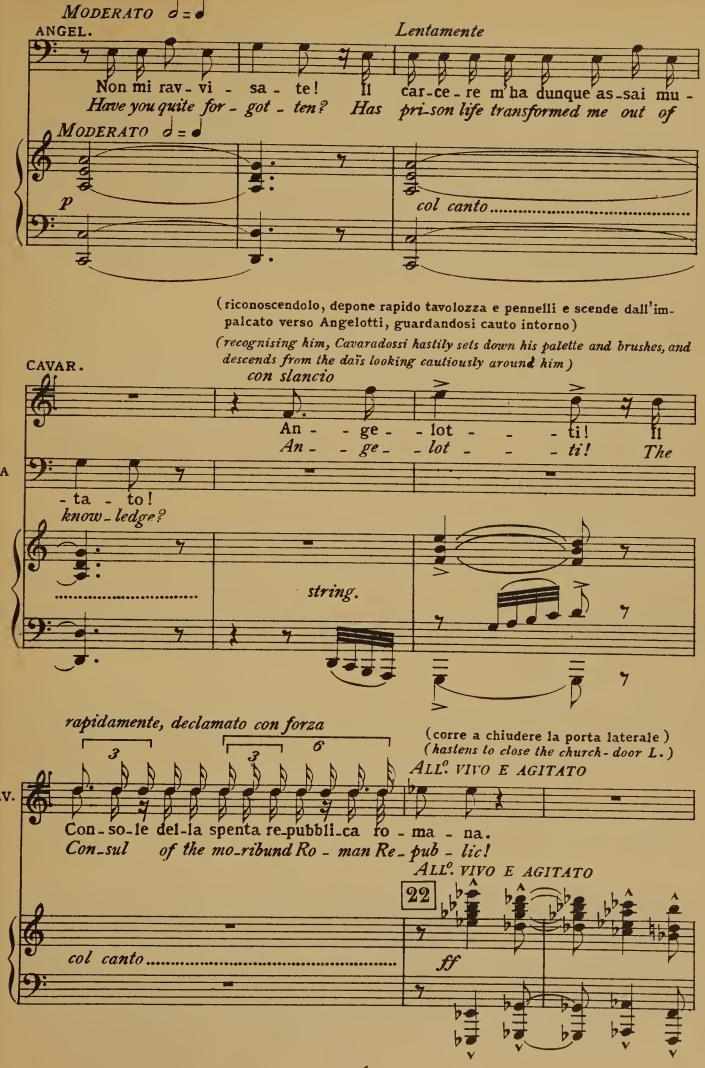
(Cavaradossi non riconosce Angelotti e rimane attonito sull'impalcato)

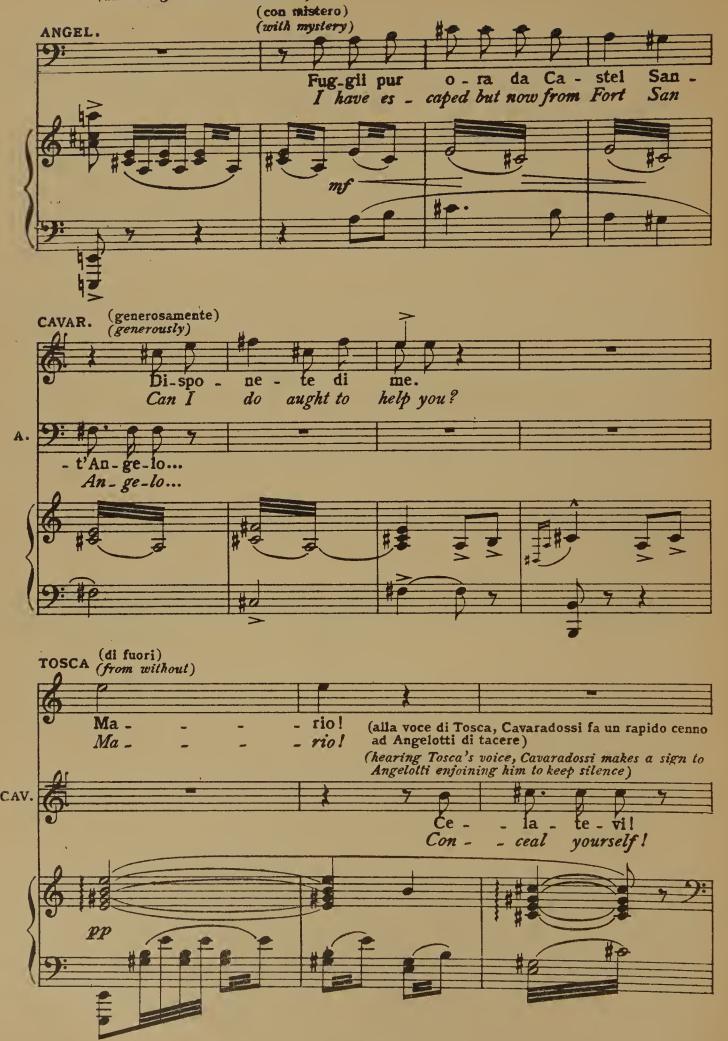


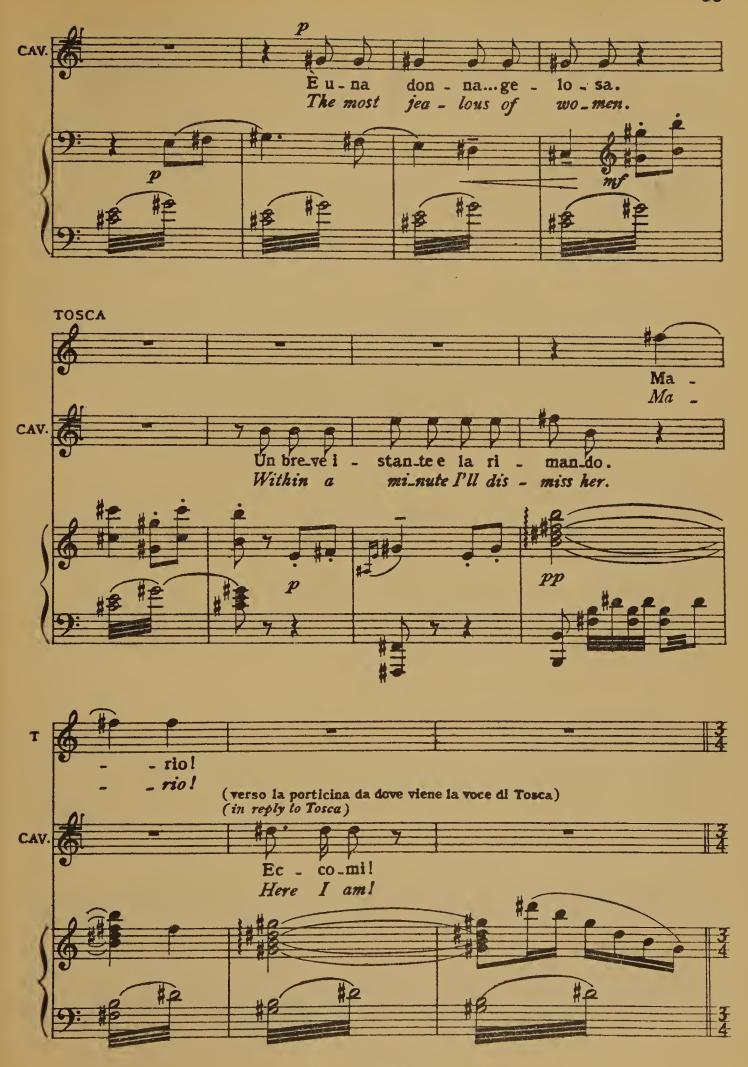


(Angelotti si avvicina di più onde farsi conoscere) craving recognition, approaches him)









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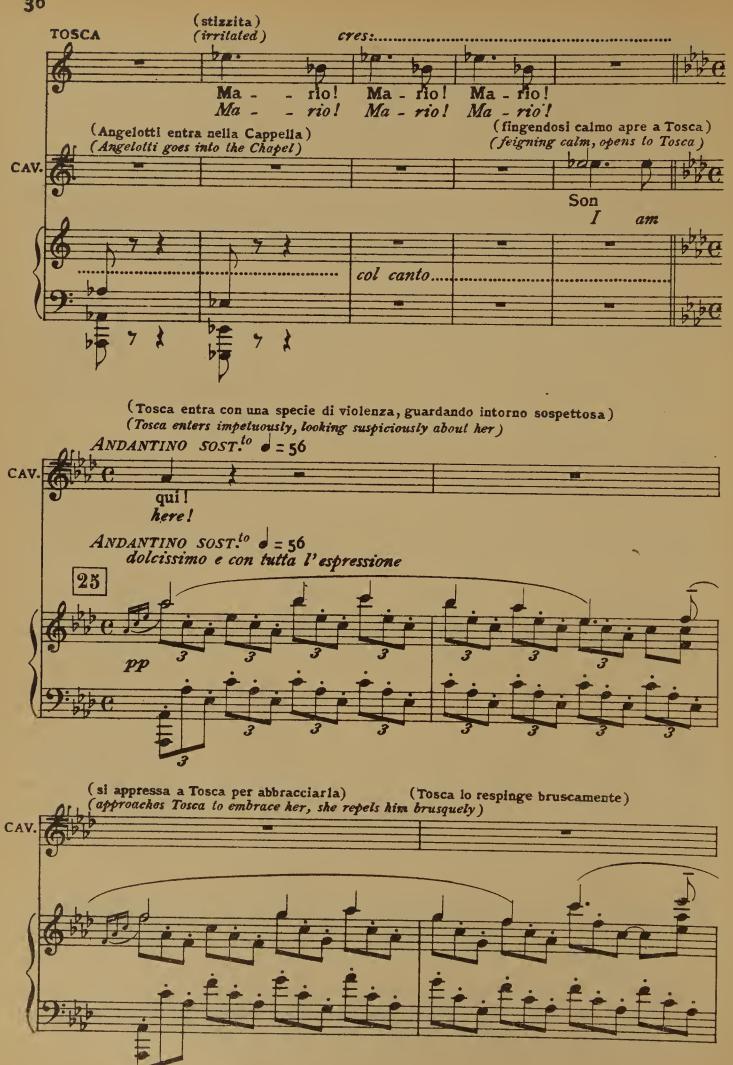


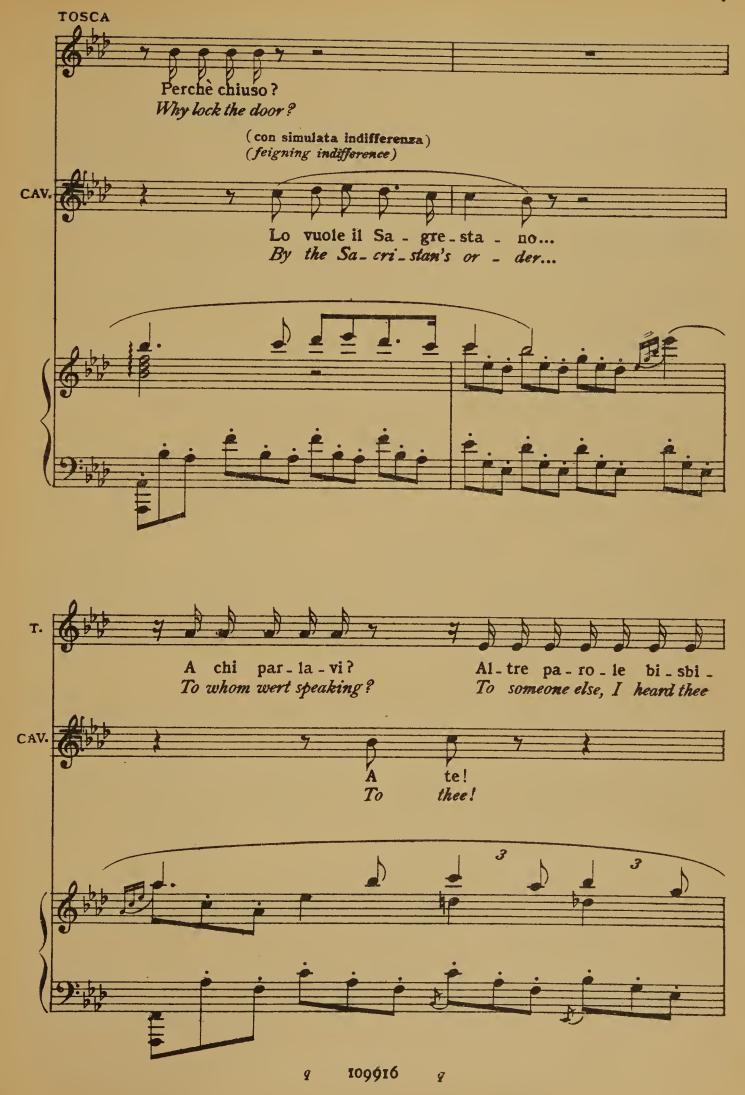


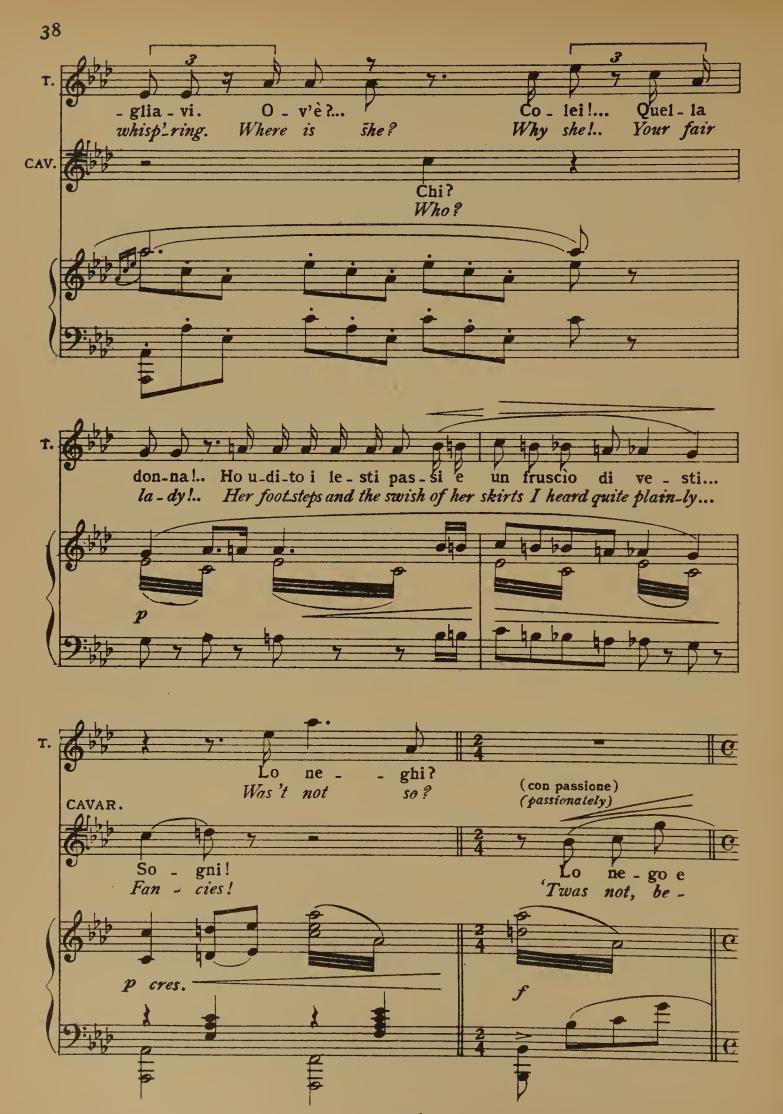




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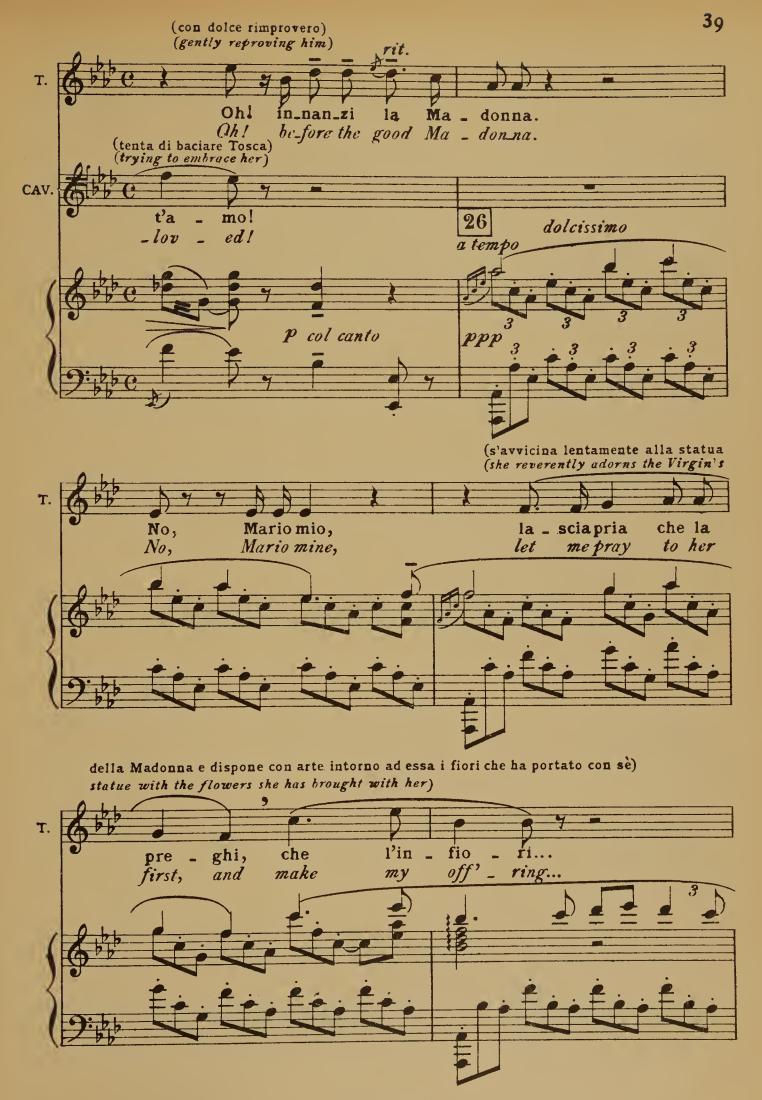




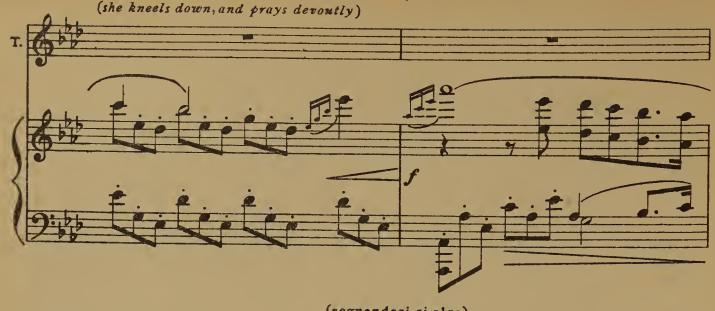


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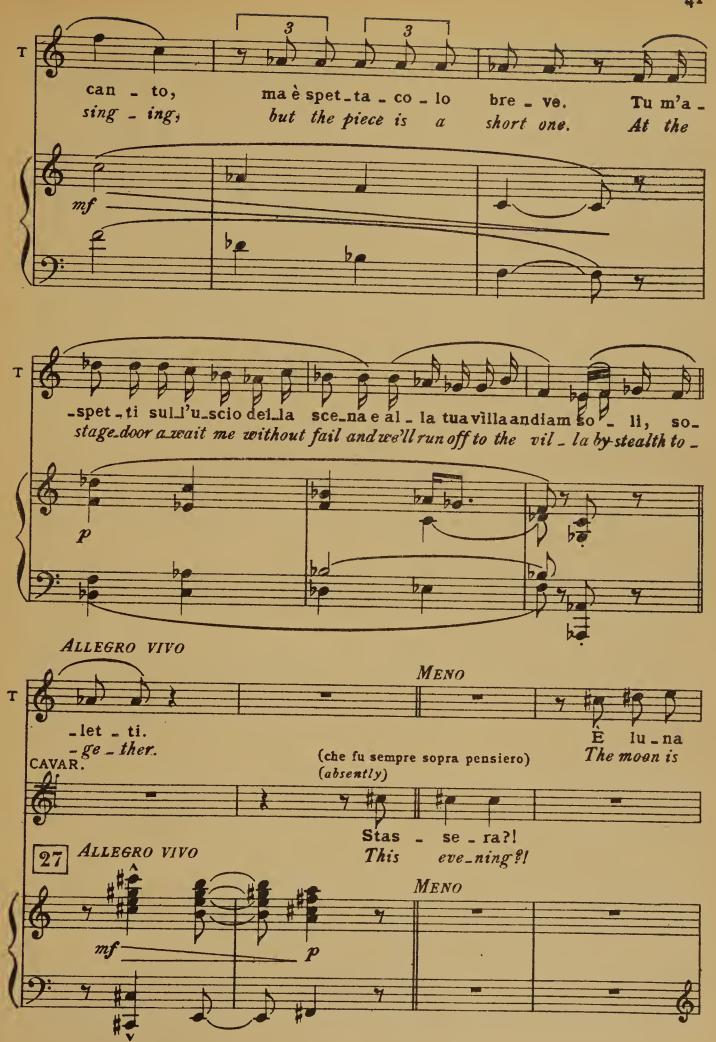


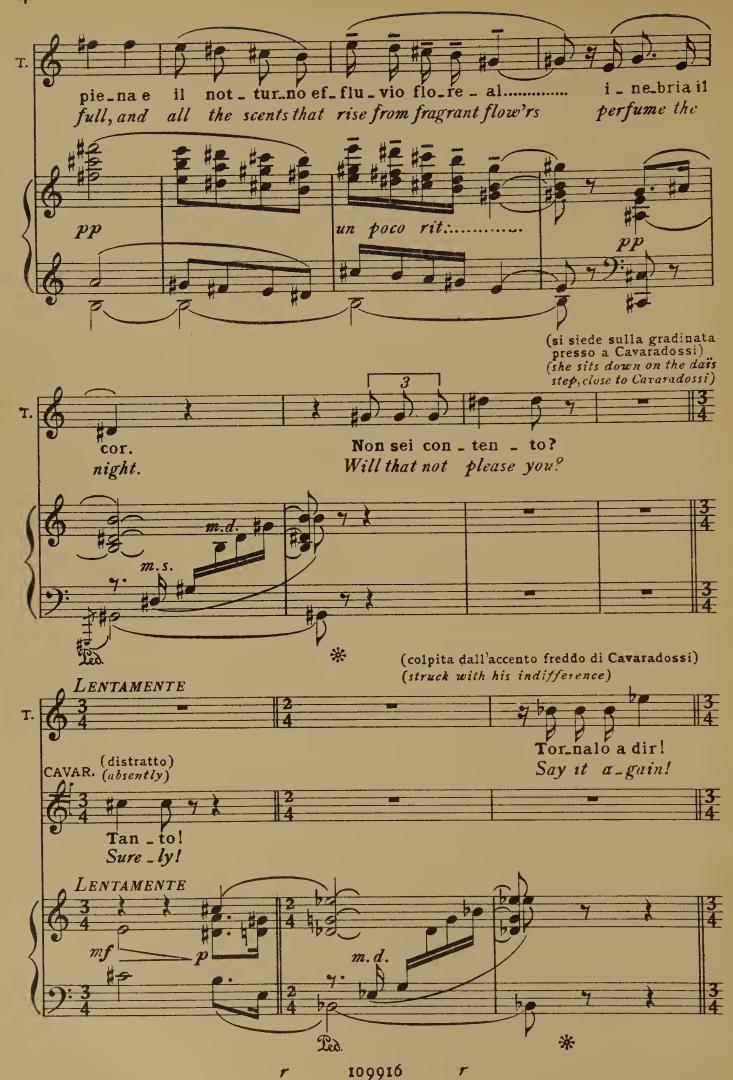
(s'inginocchia e prega con grande devozione)

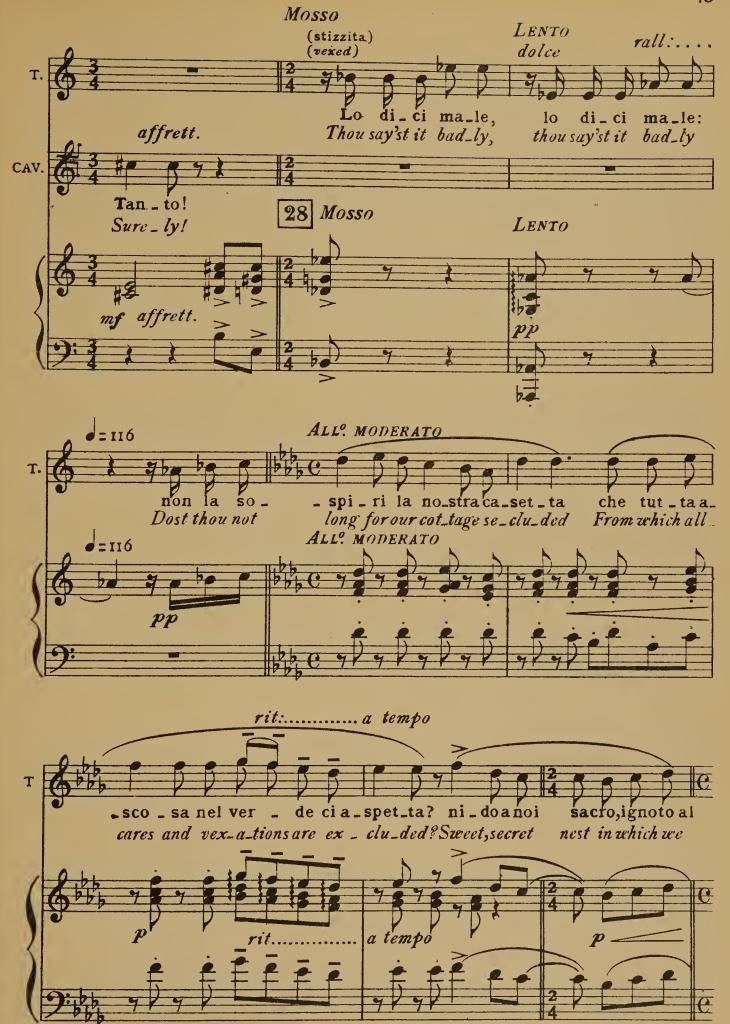


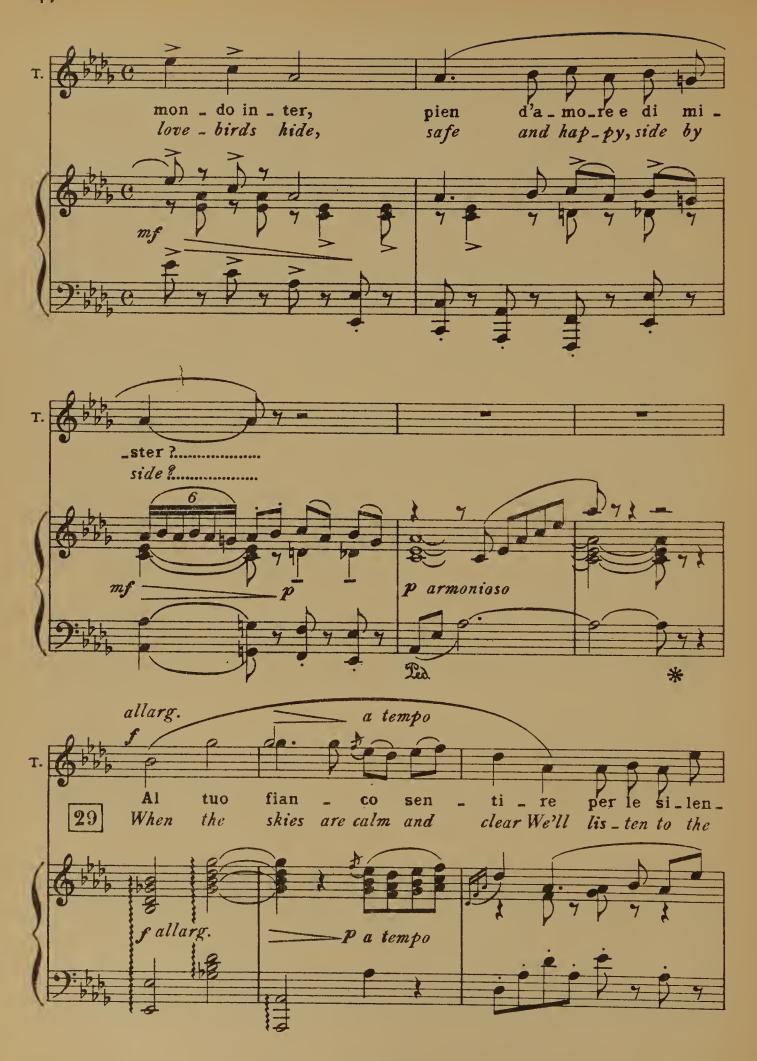


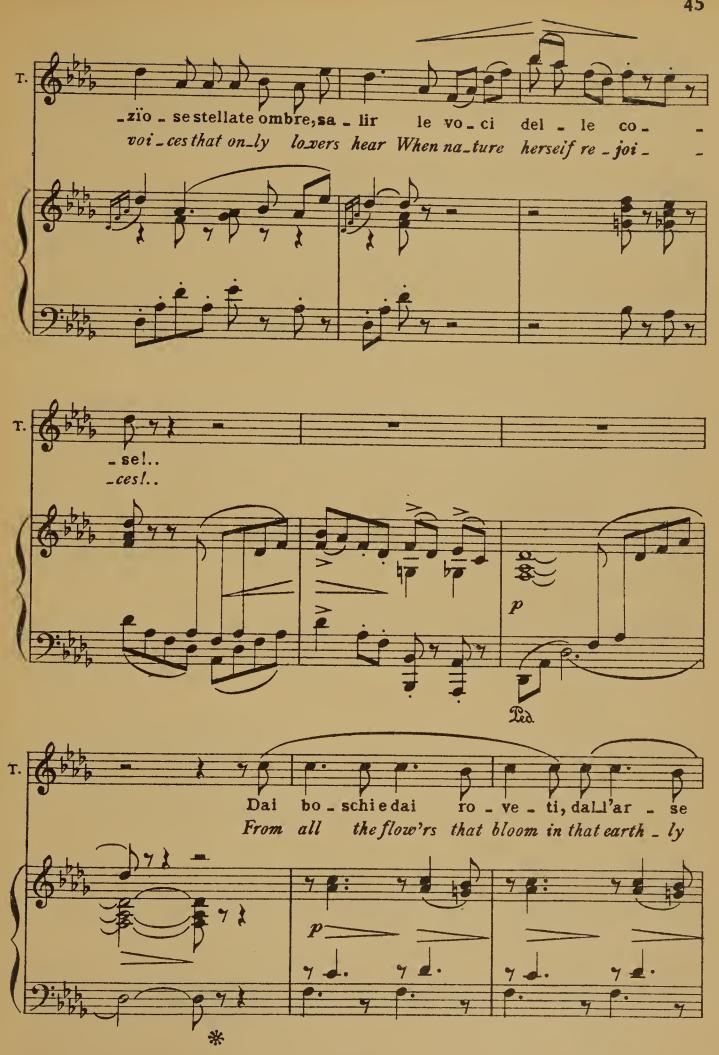


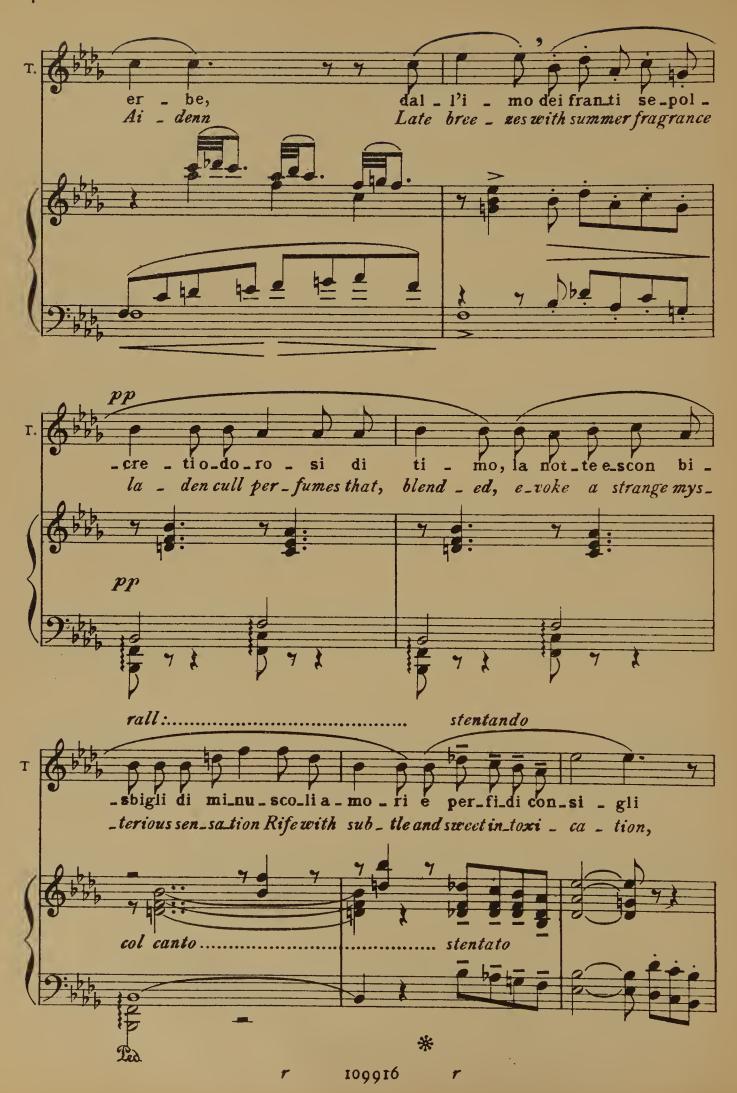


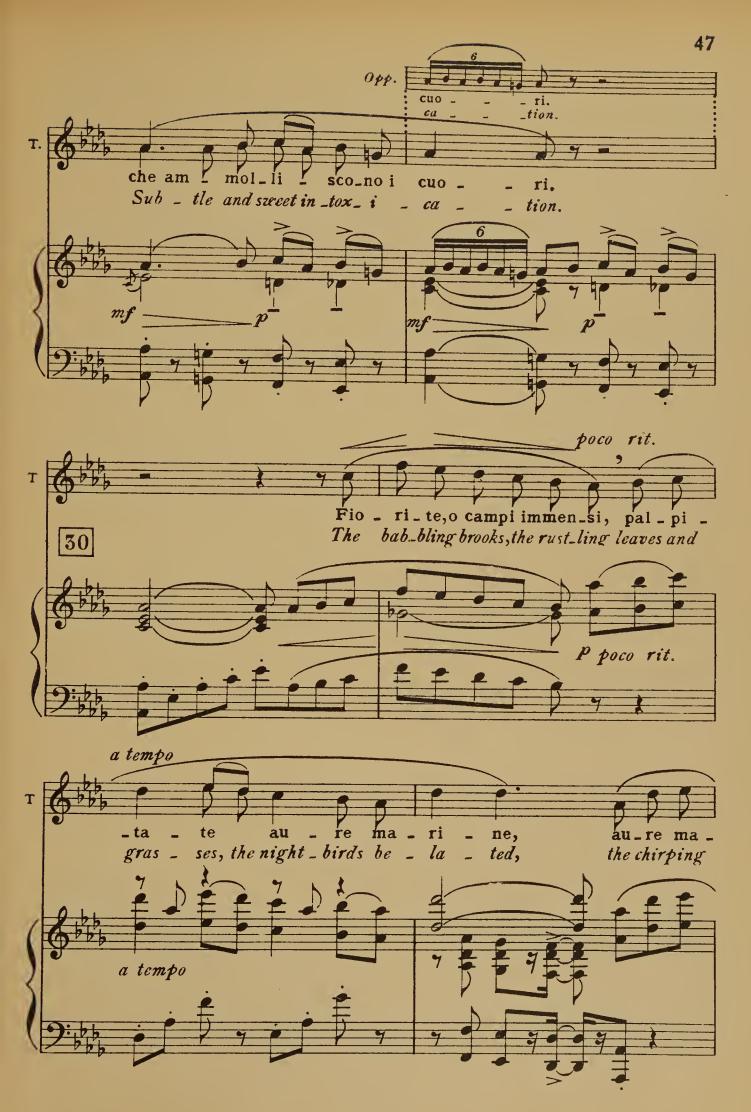


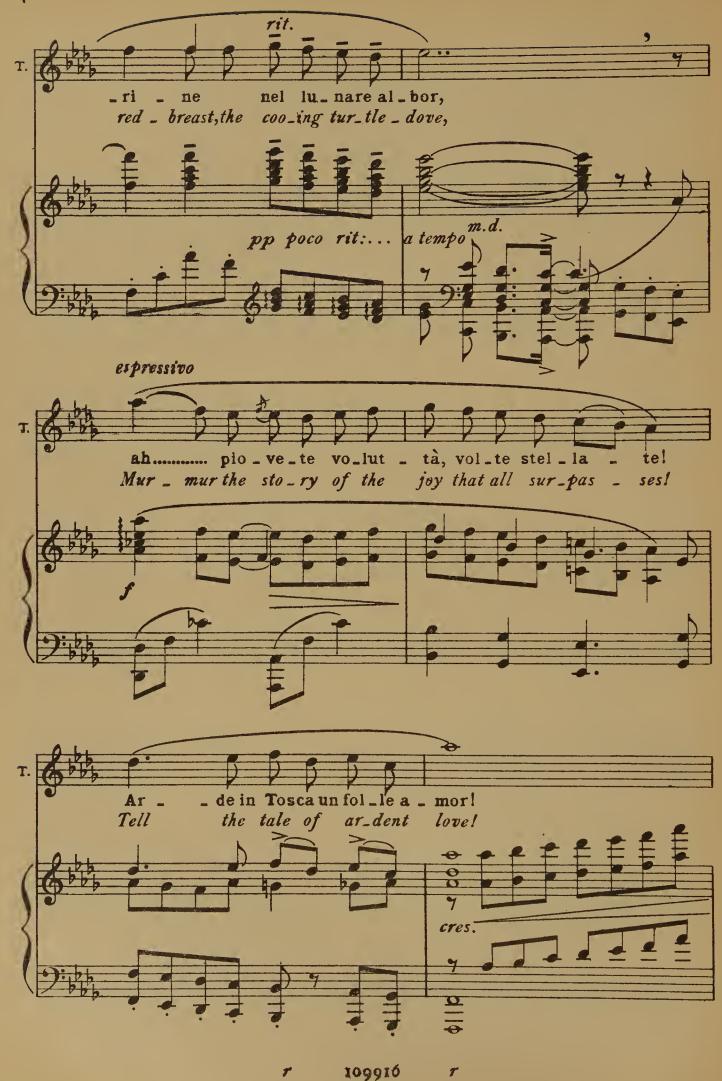




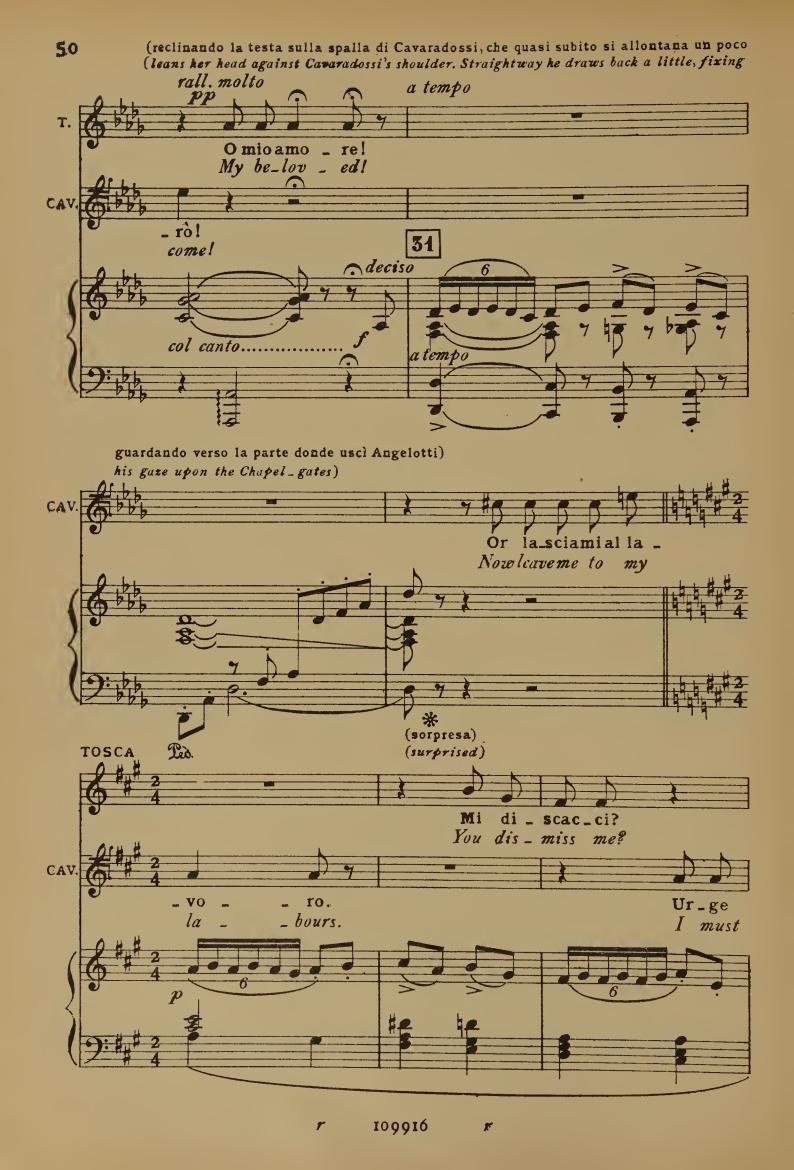


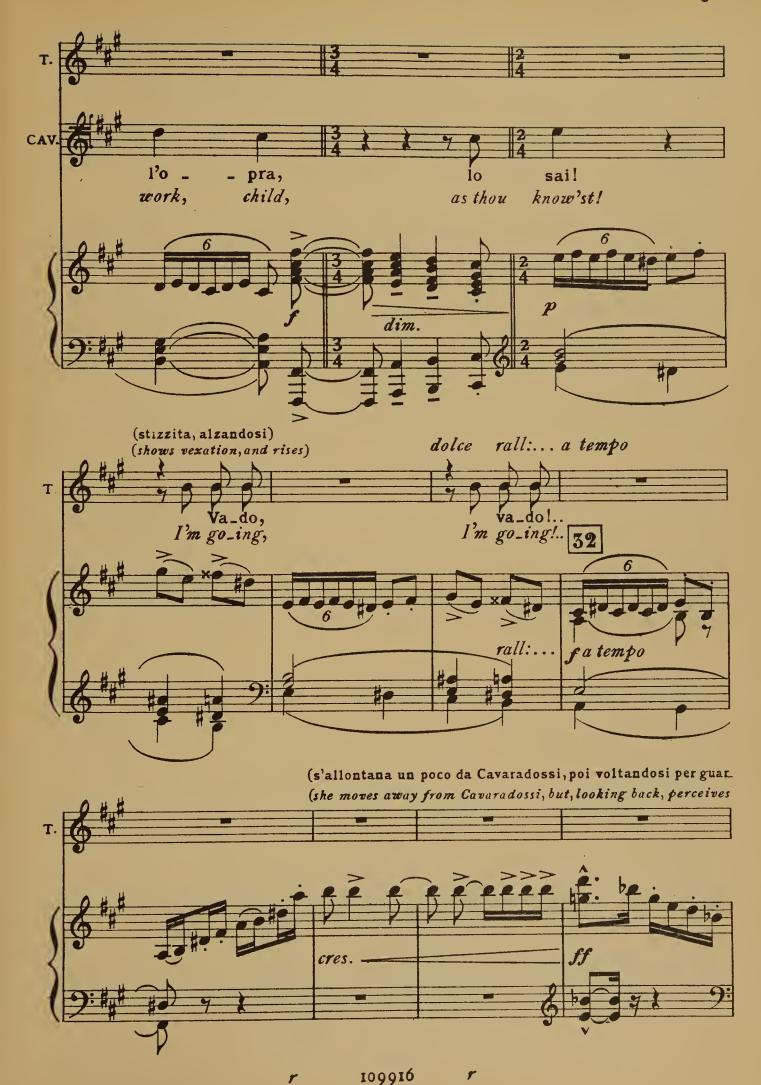


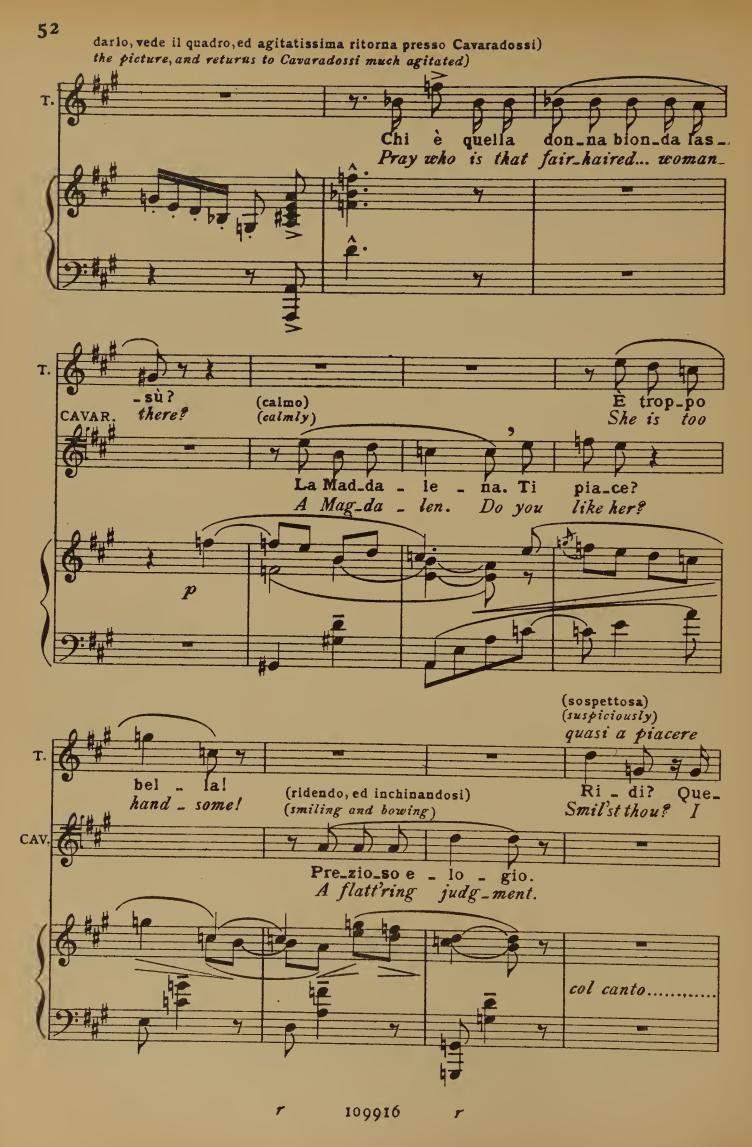


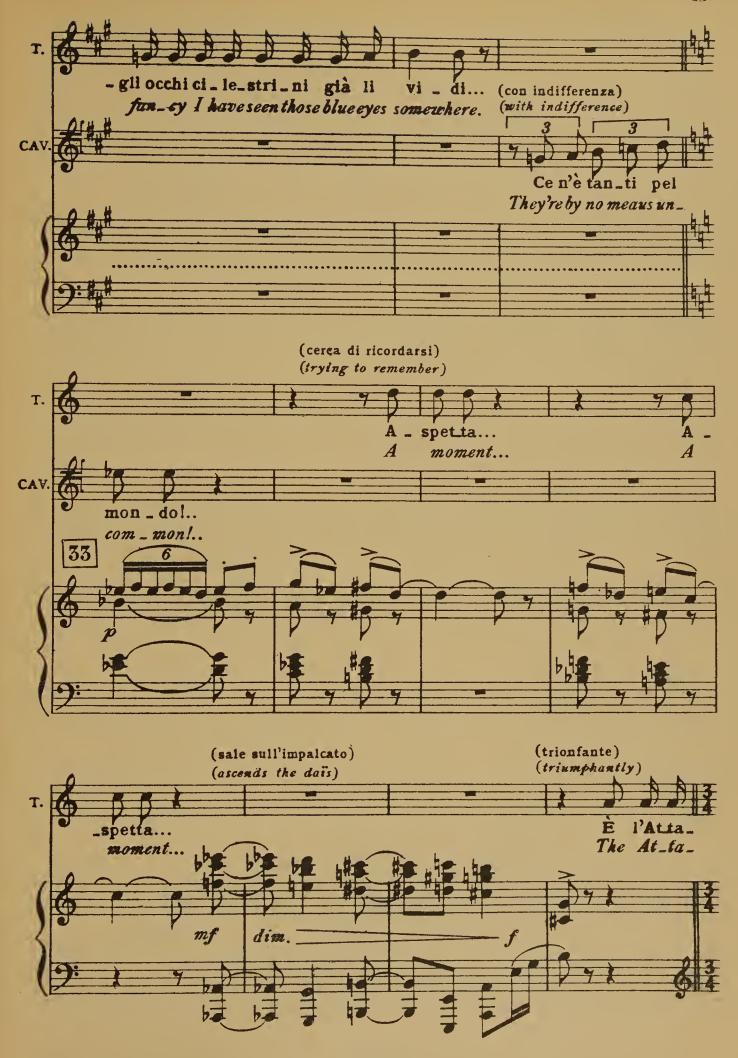


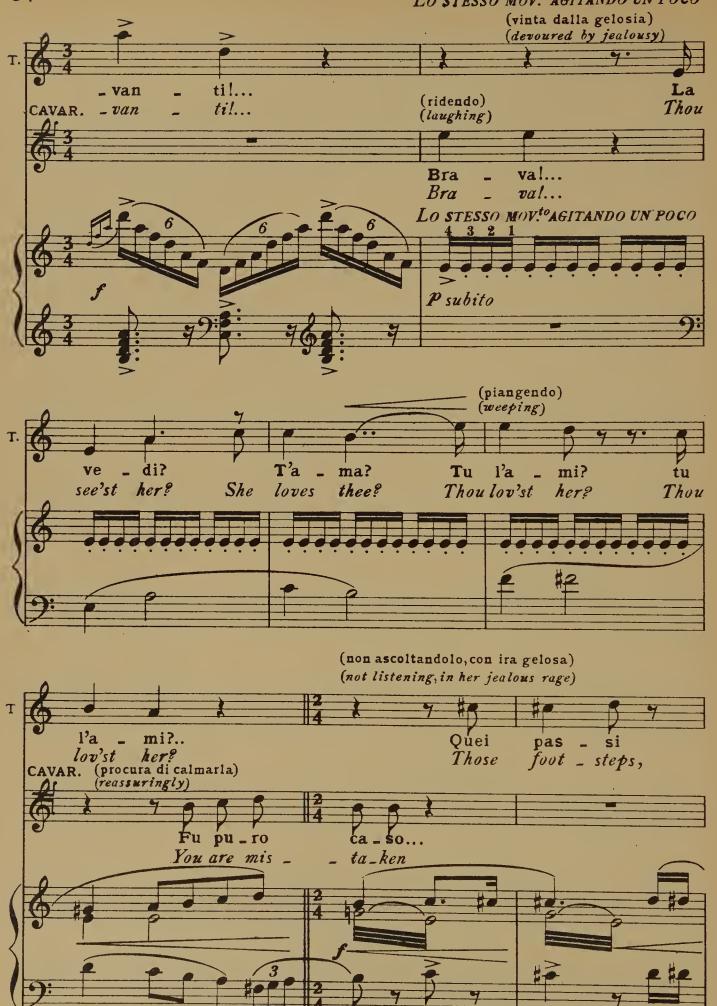


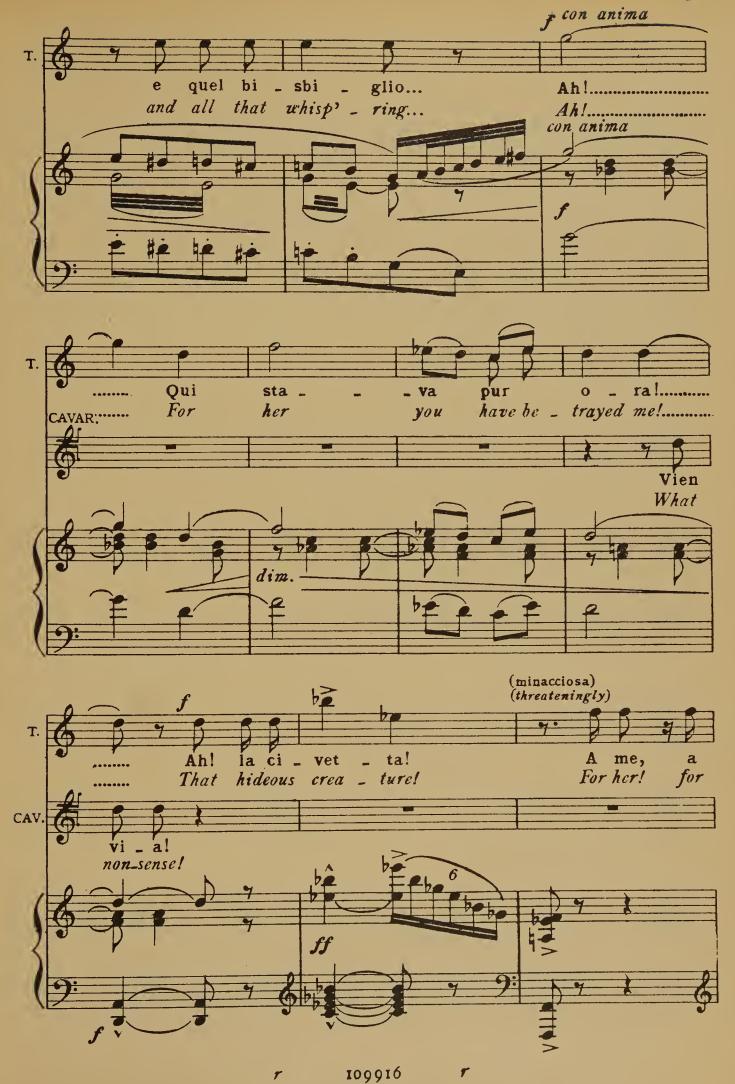




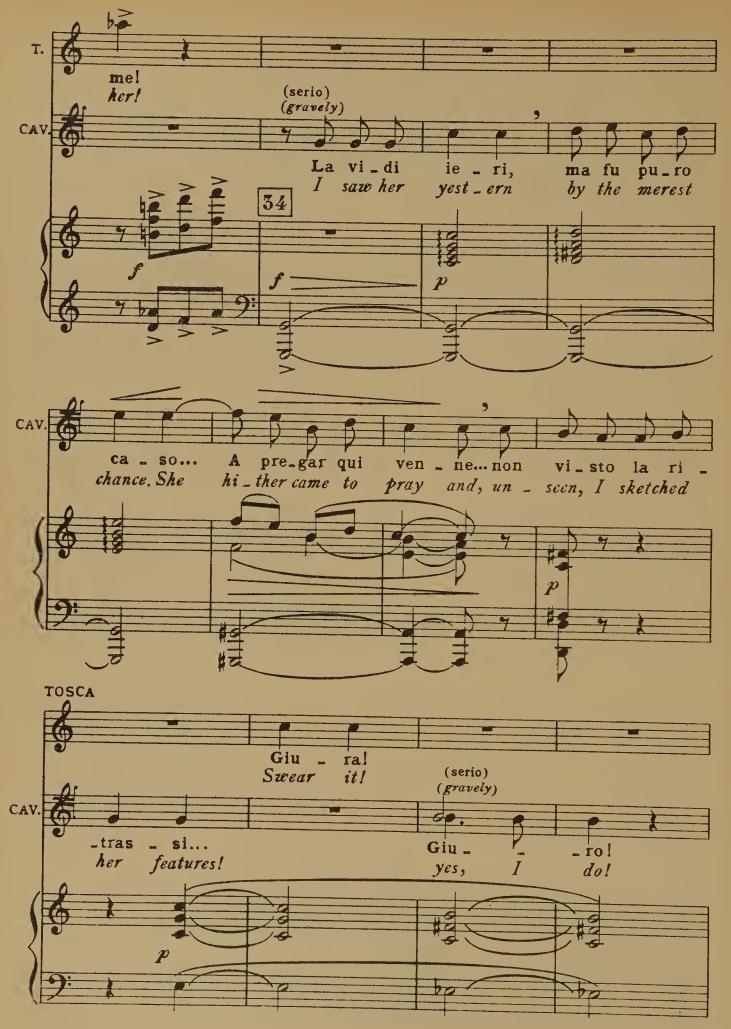


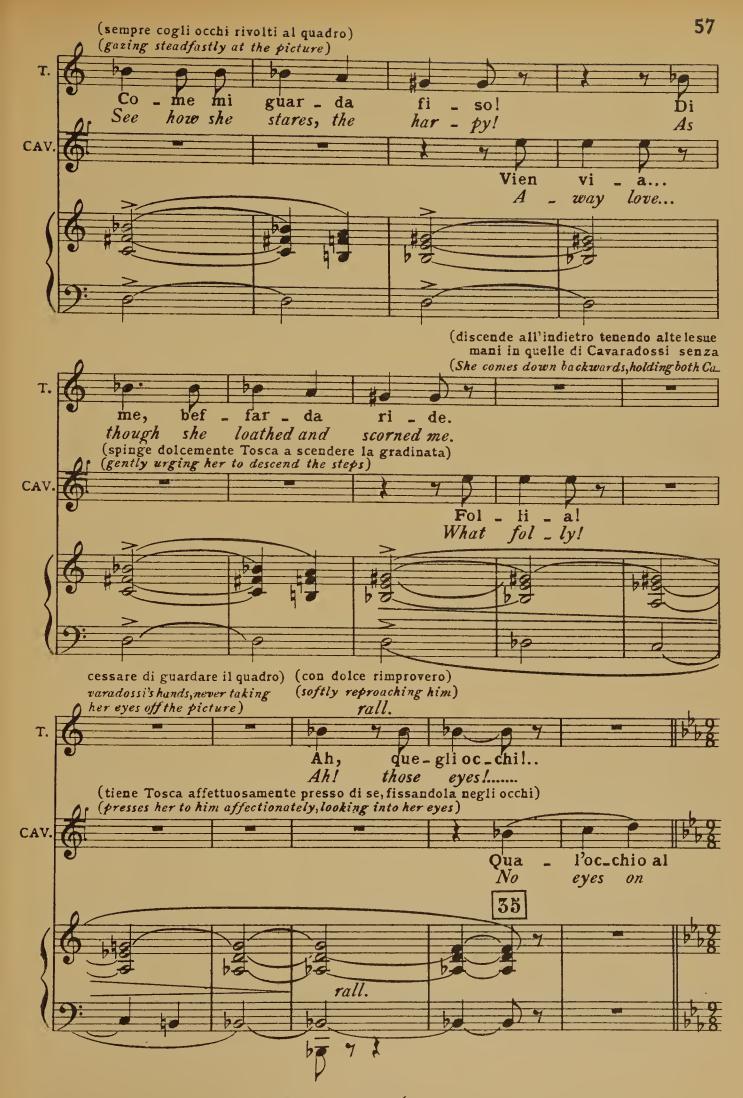


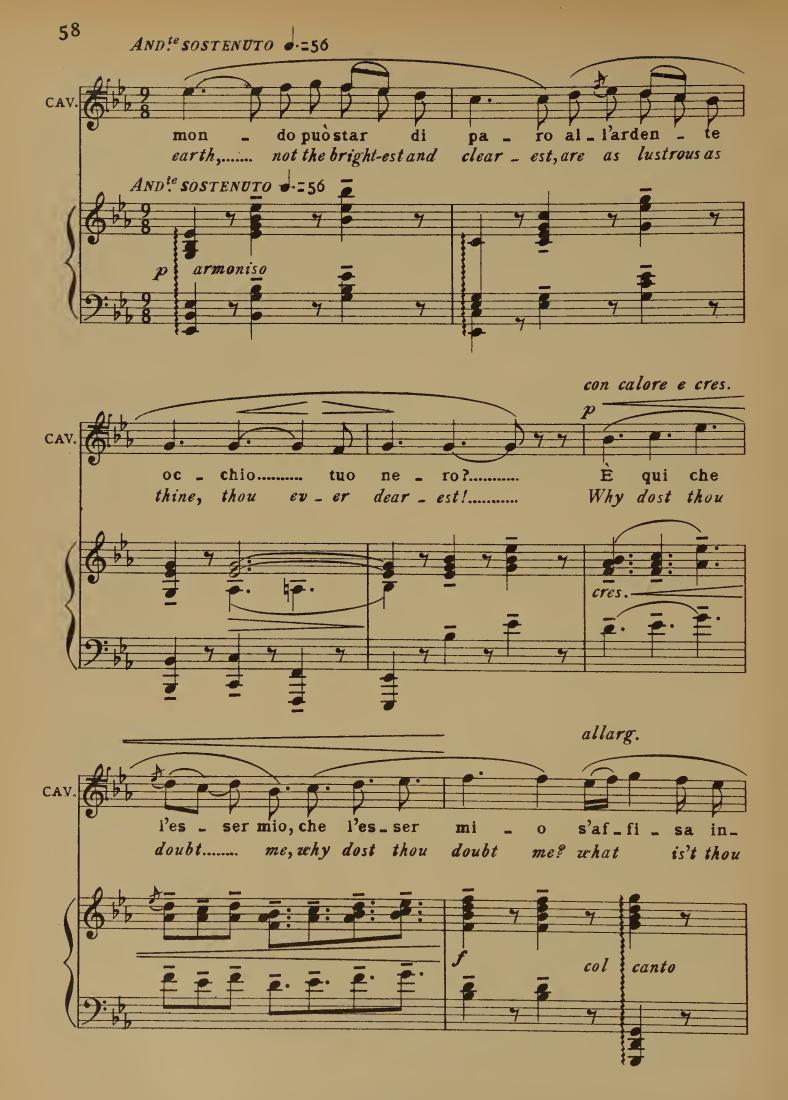






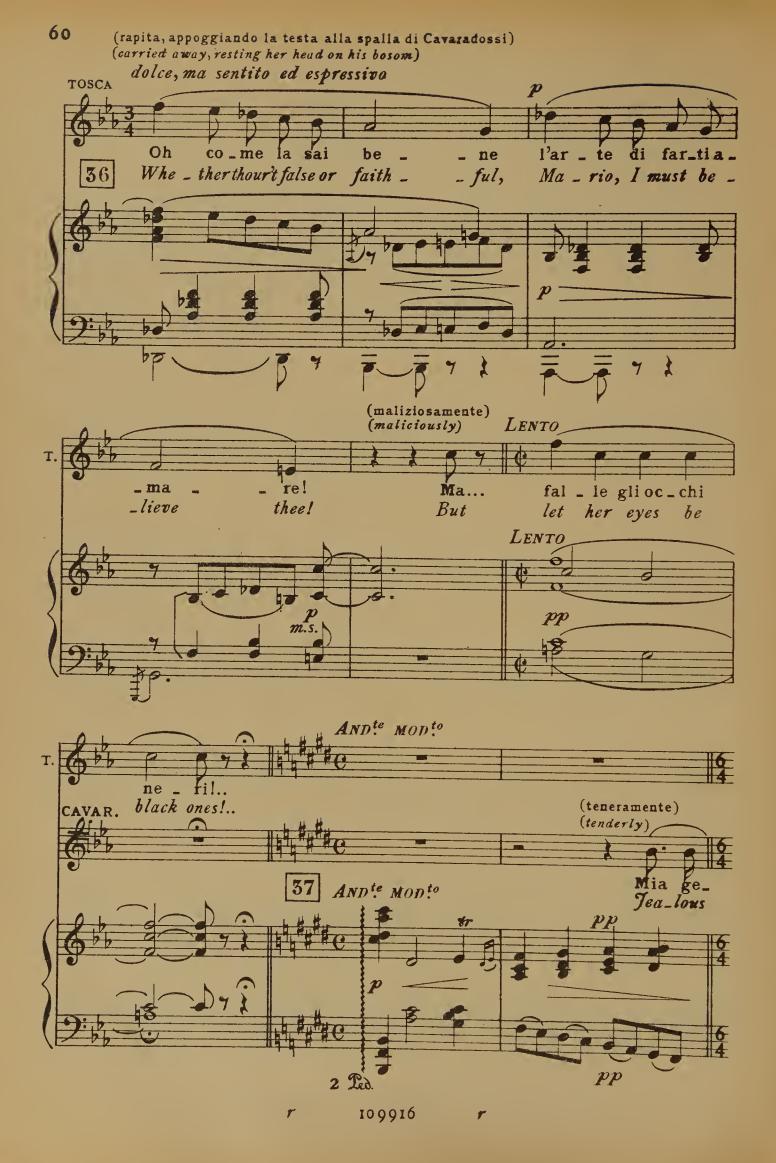


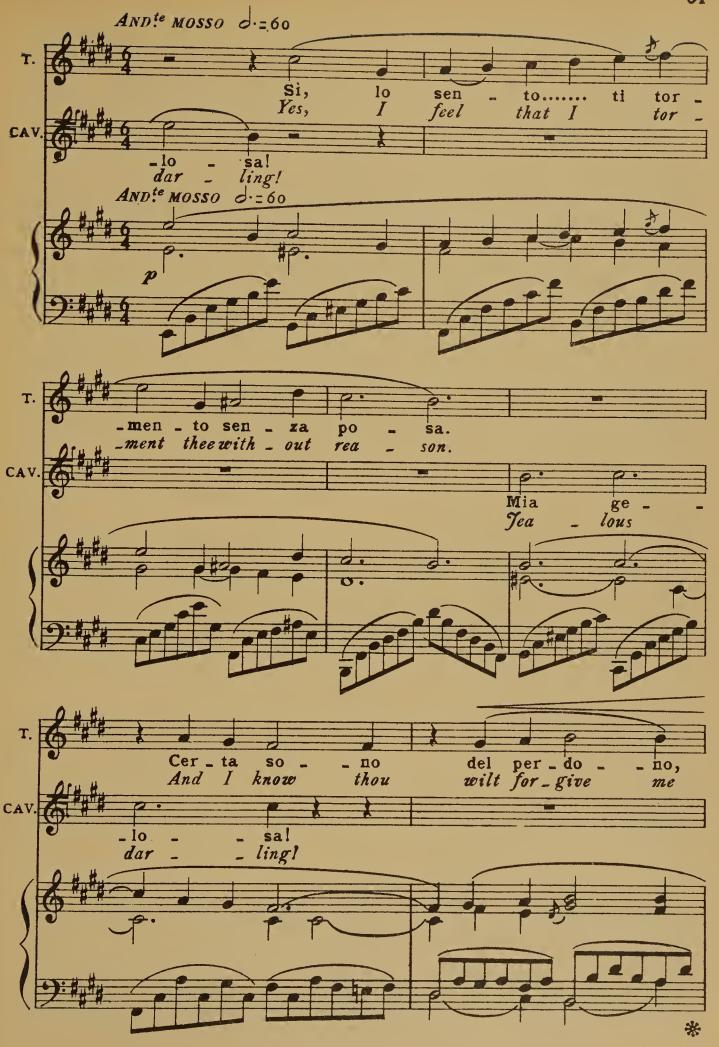


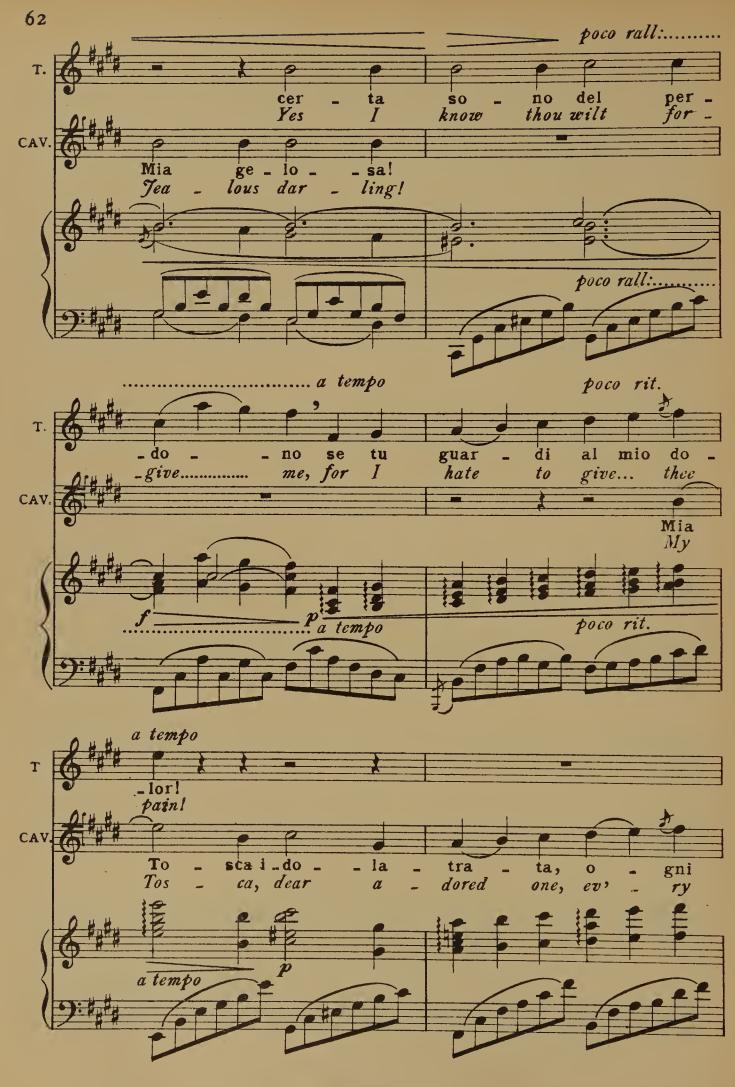




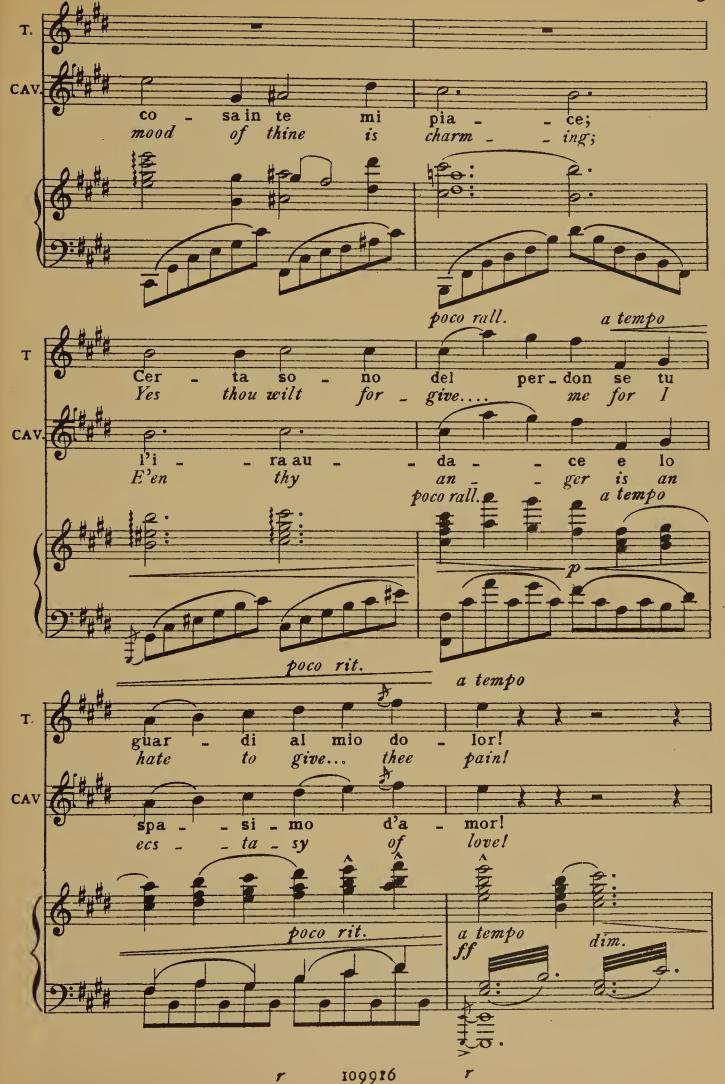


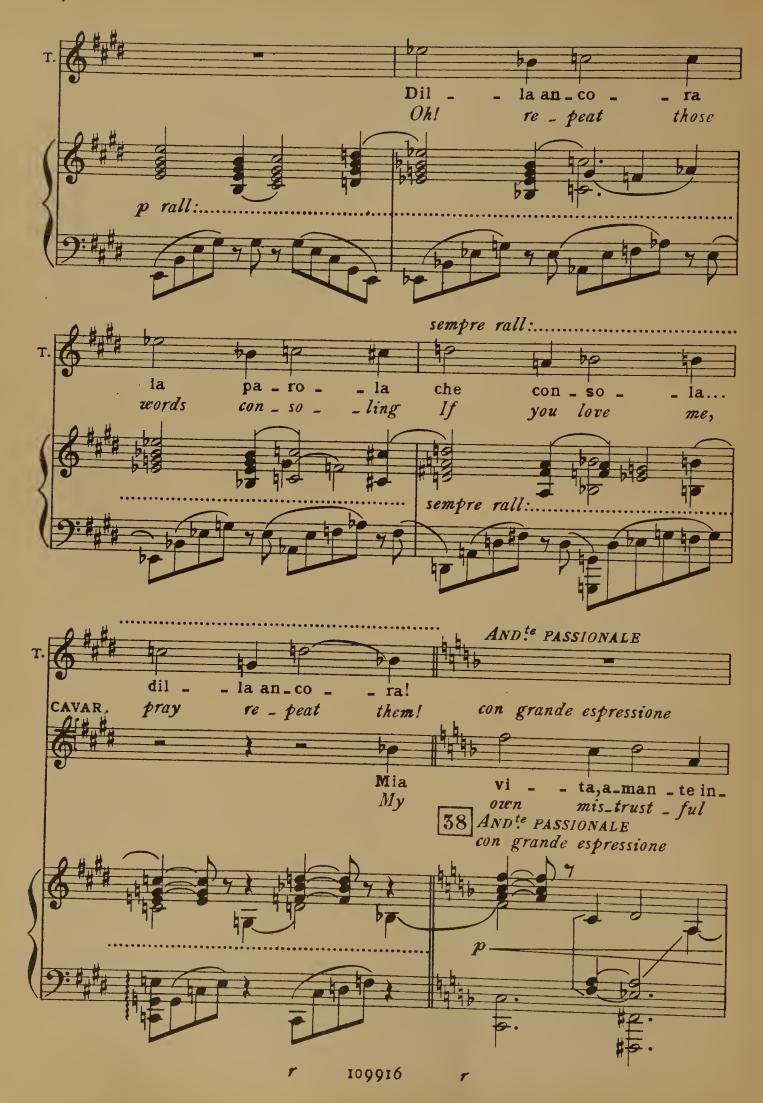




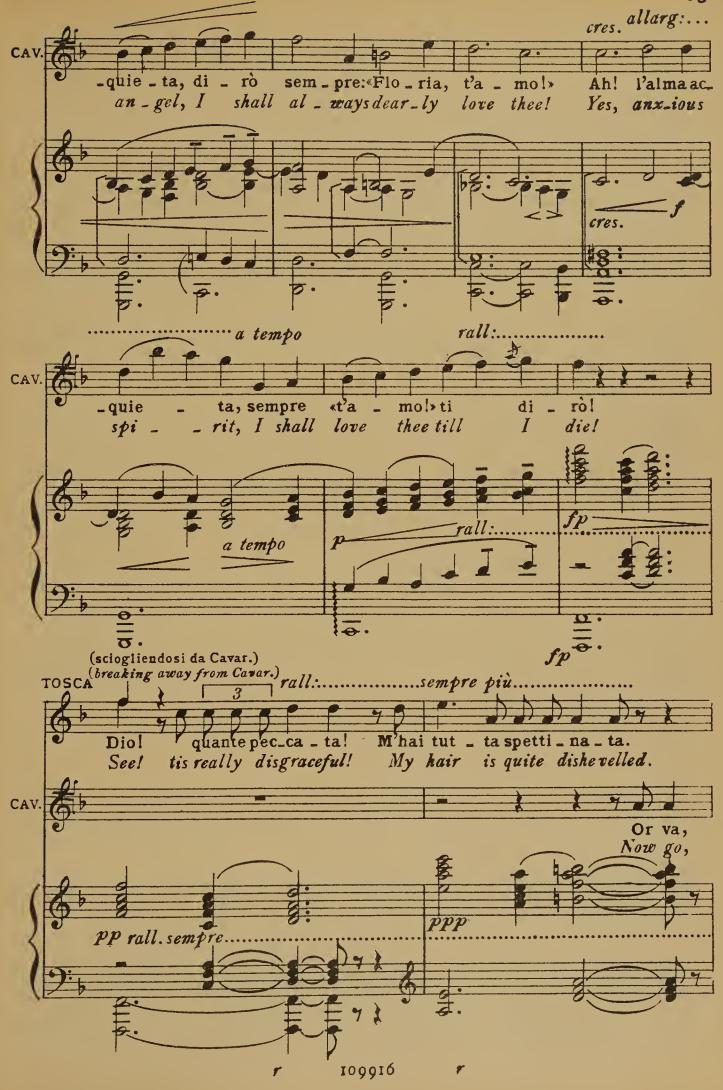


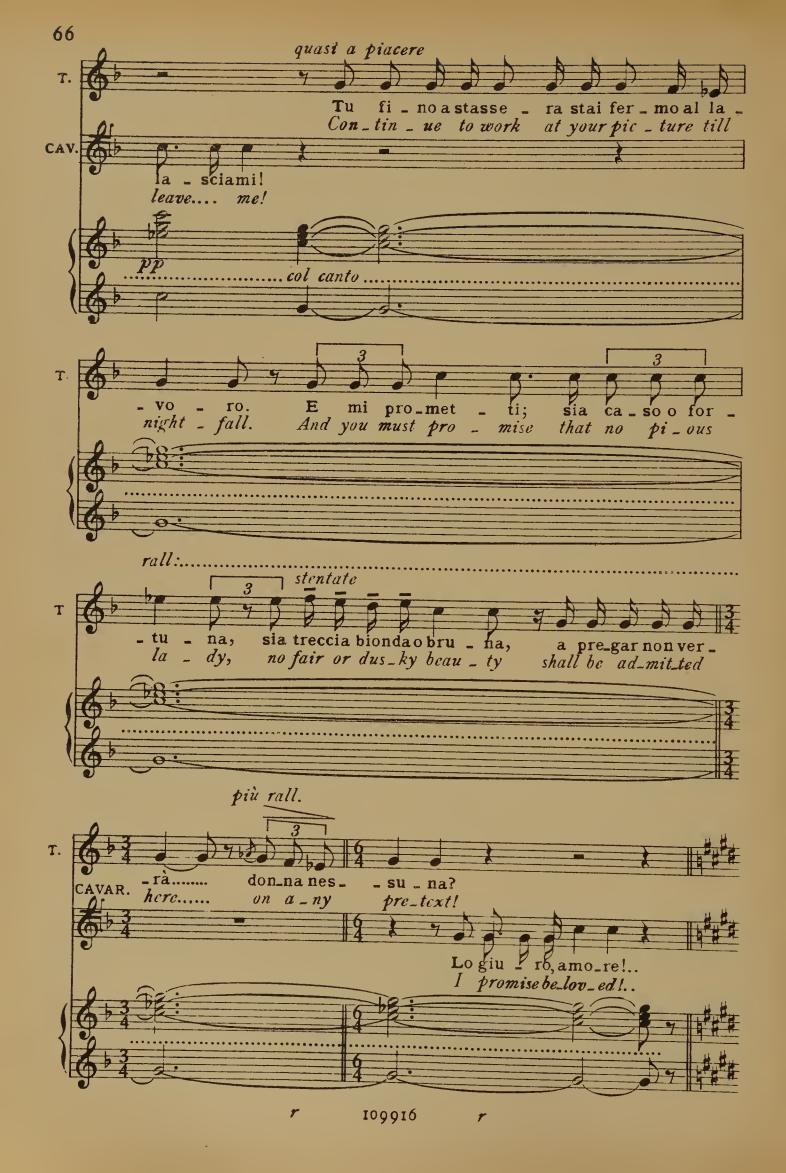




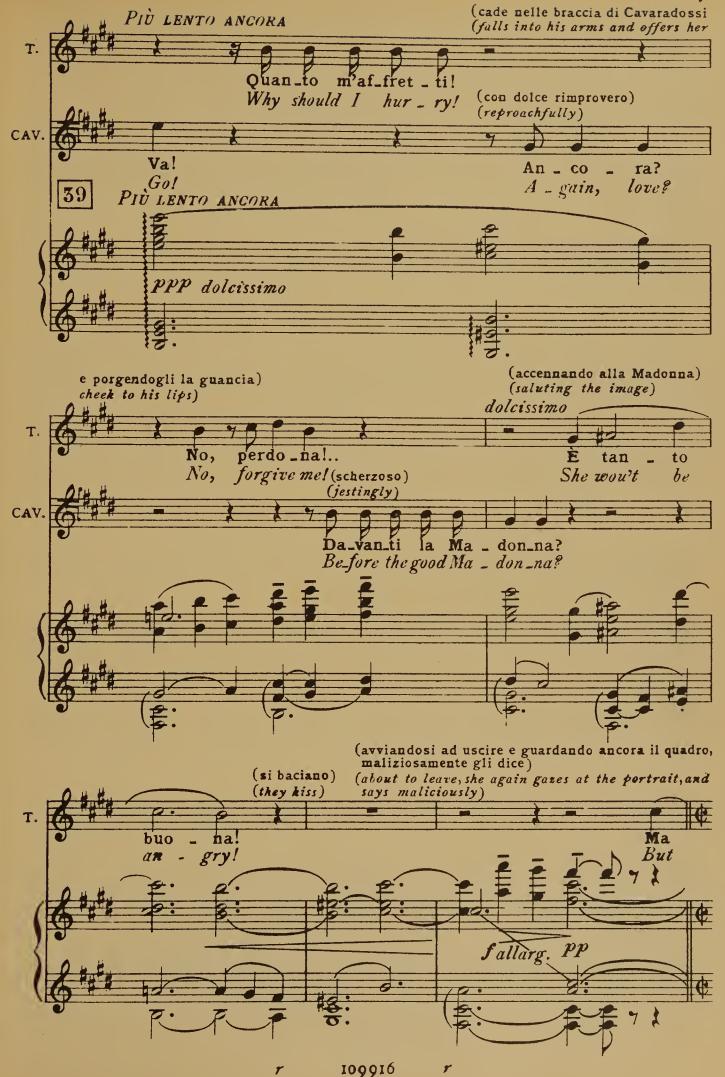










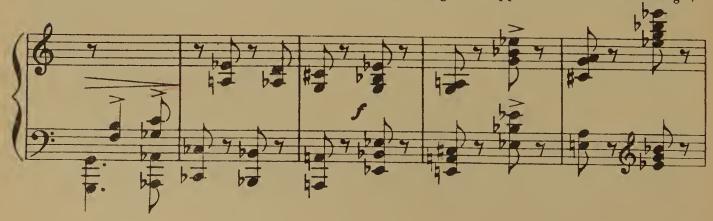




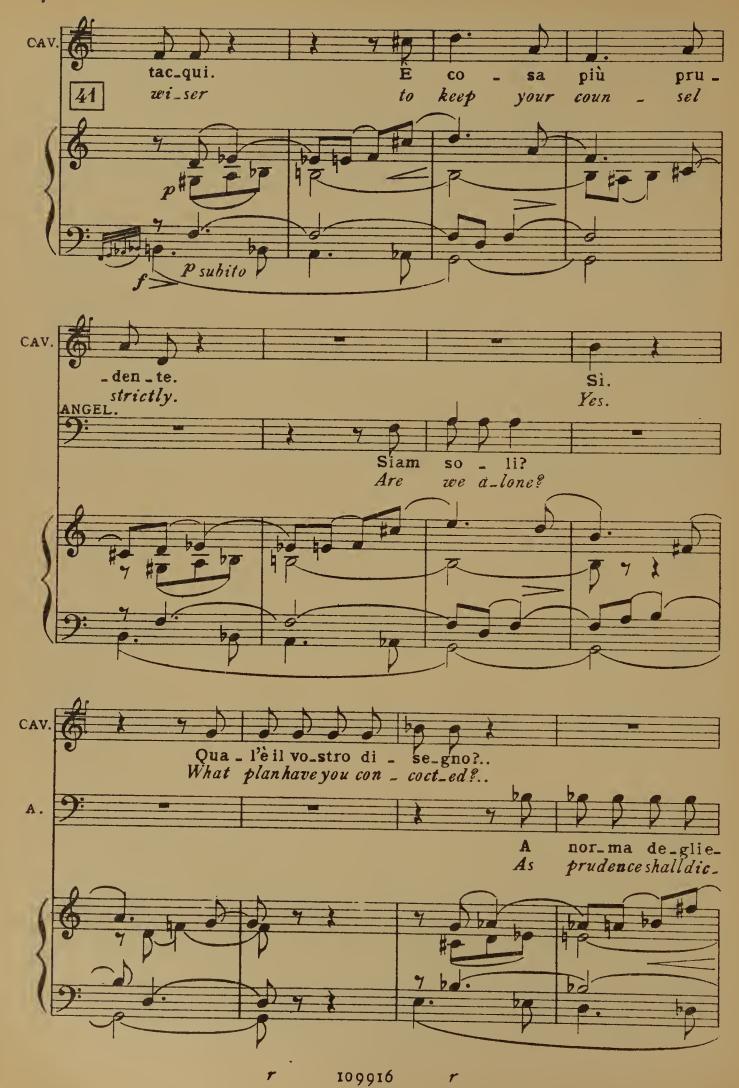
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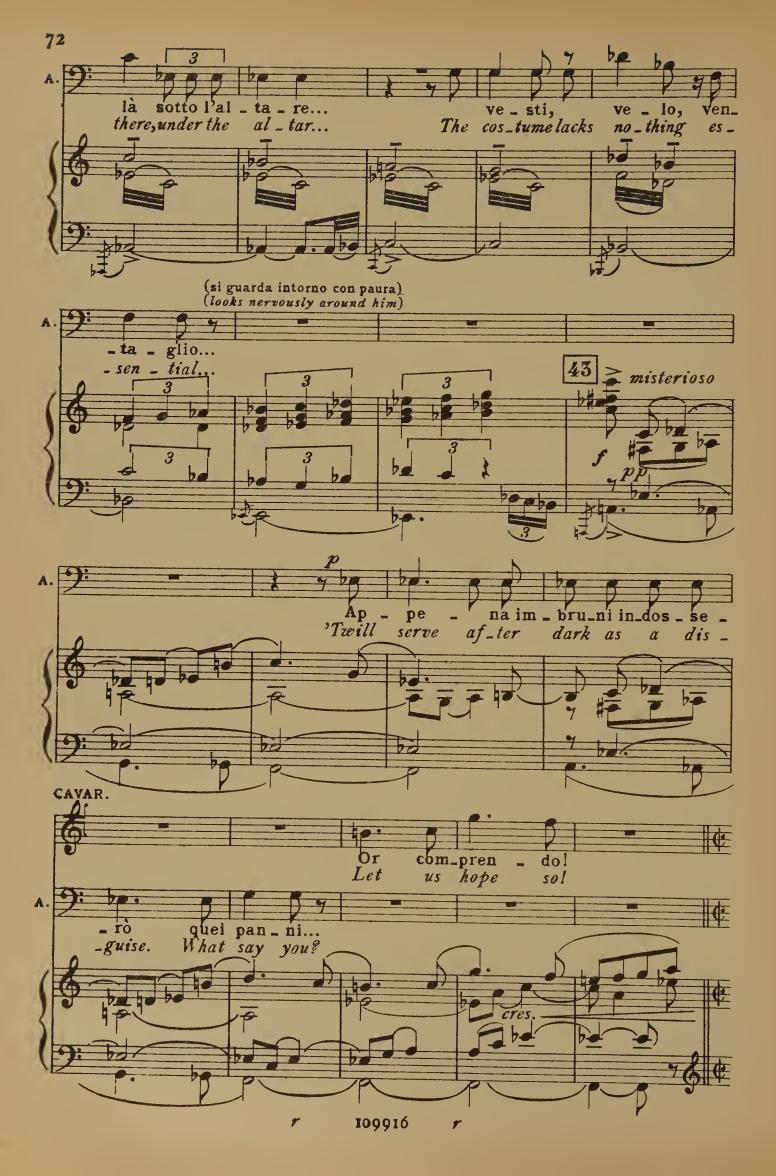
porticina e guarda fuori: visto tutto tranquillo corre alla Cappella: Angelotti appare dietro la canseeing that all is quiet, he hurries back to the Chapel. Angelotti appears behind the railings,

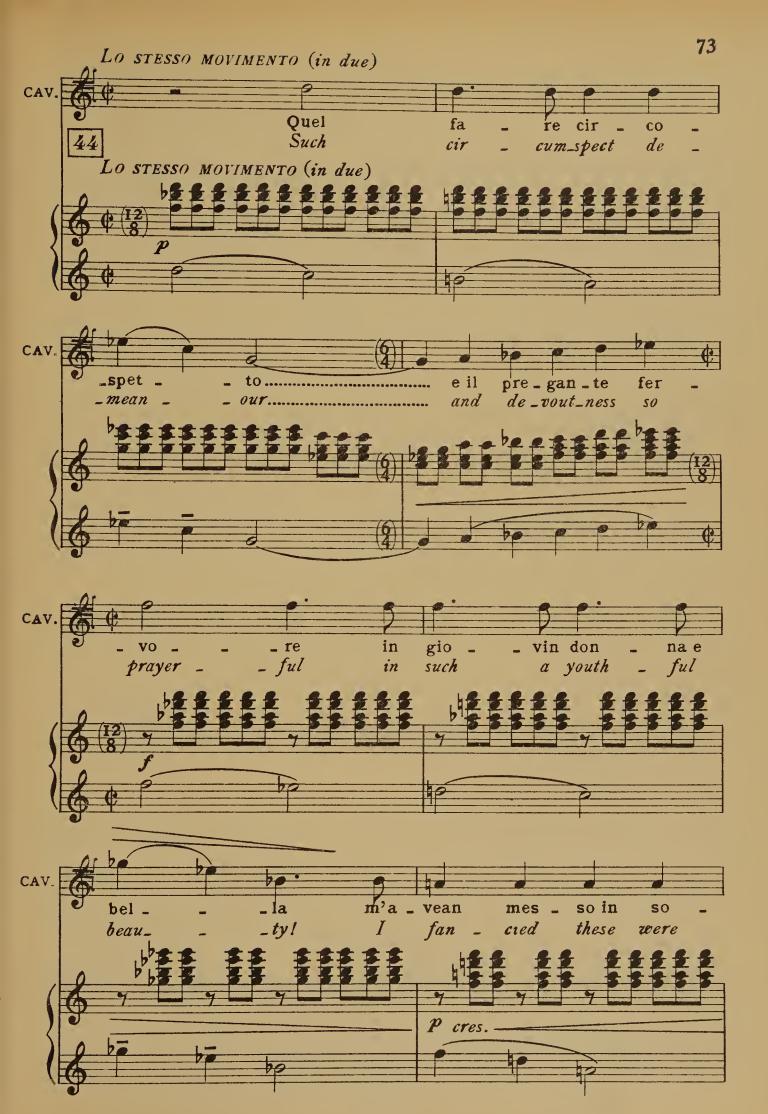


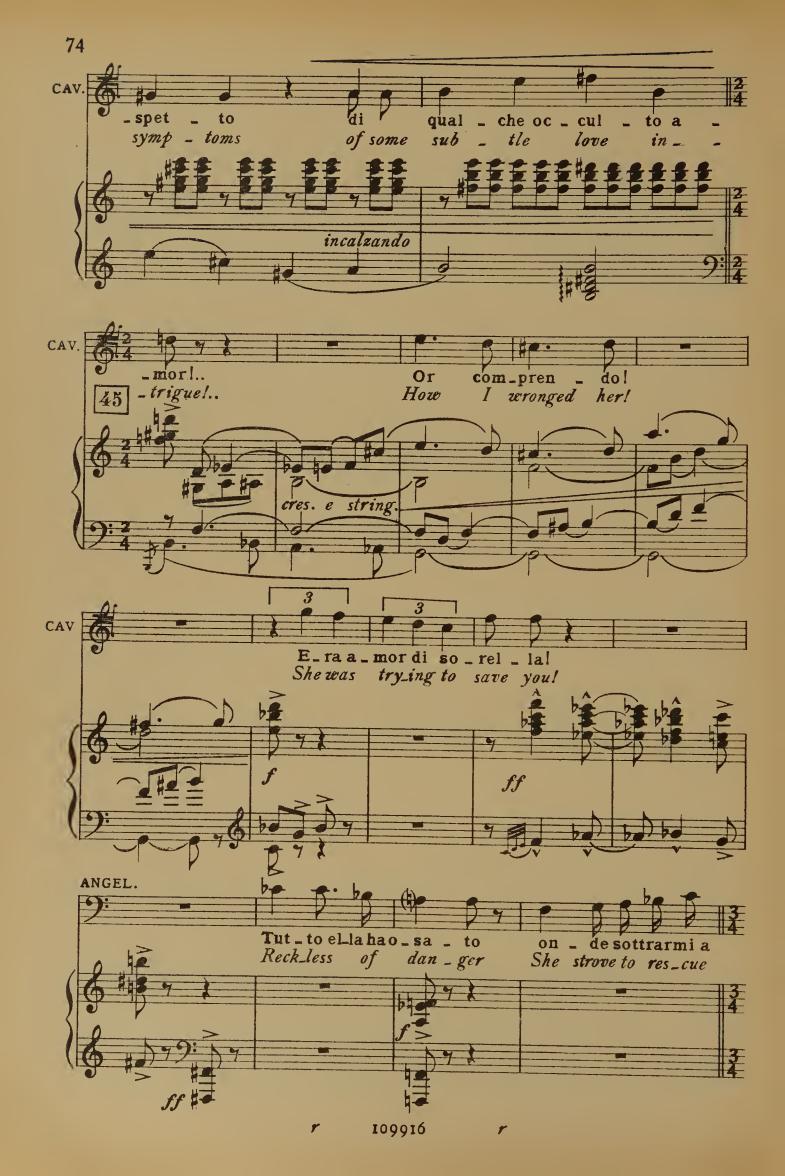








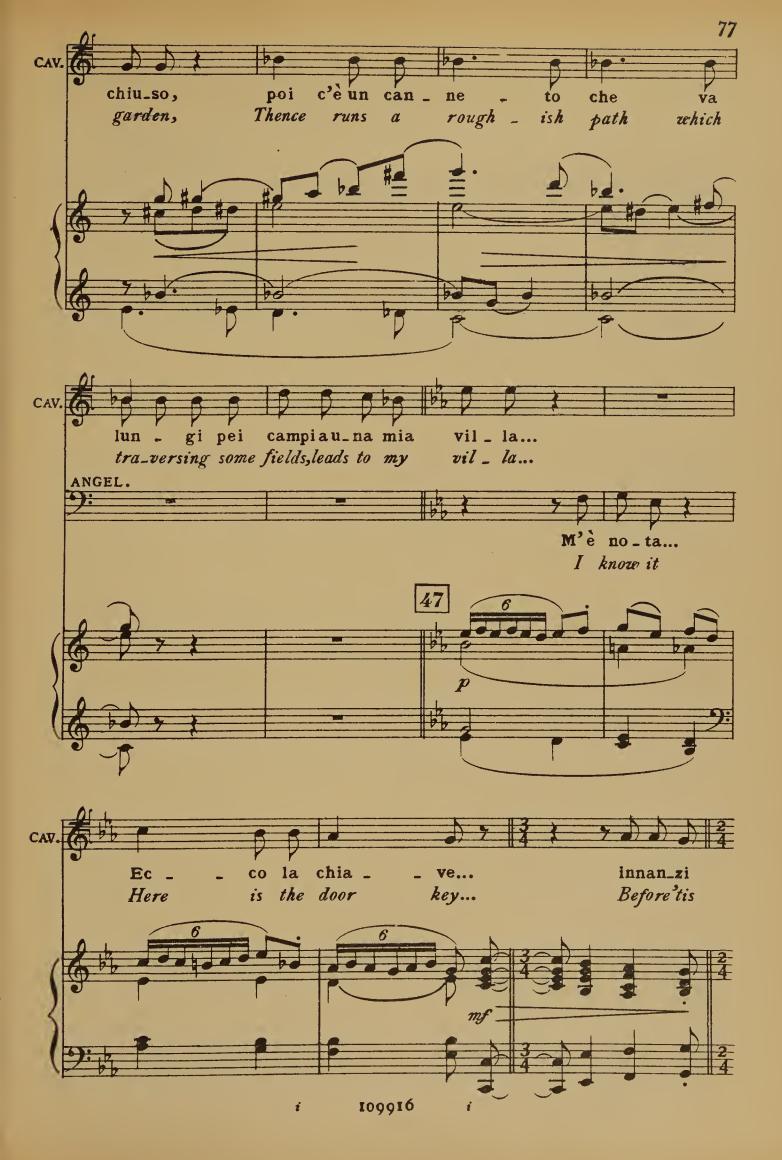


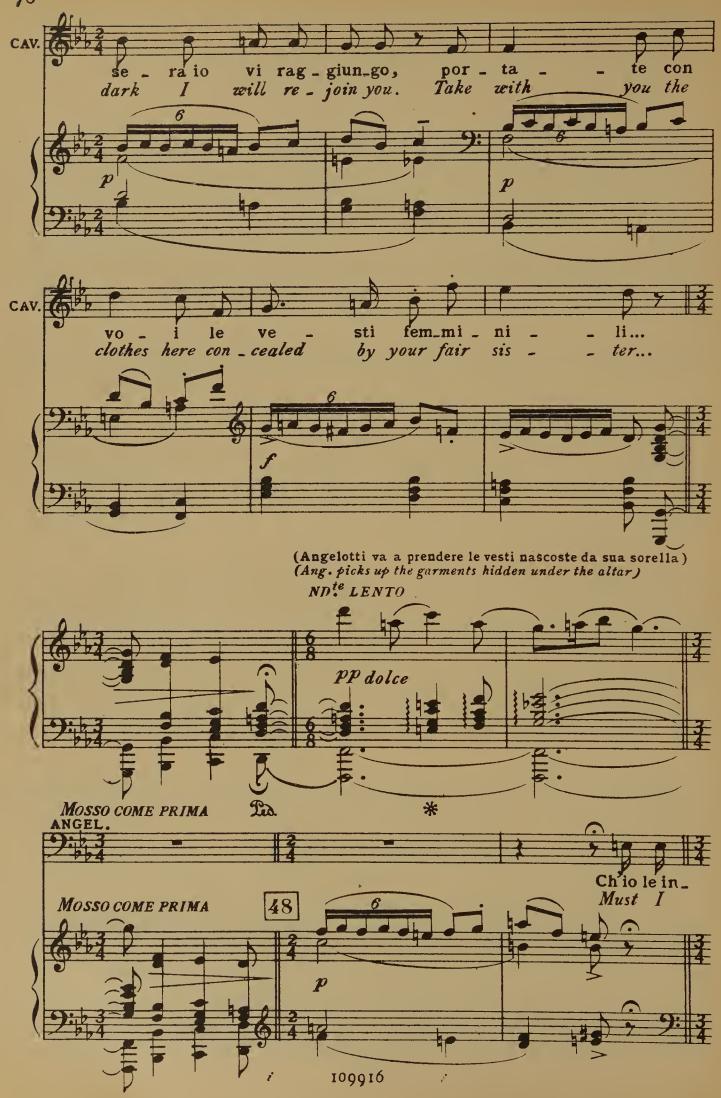


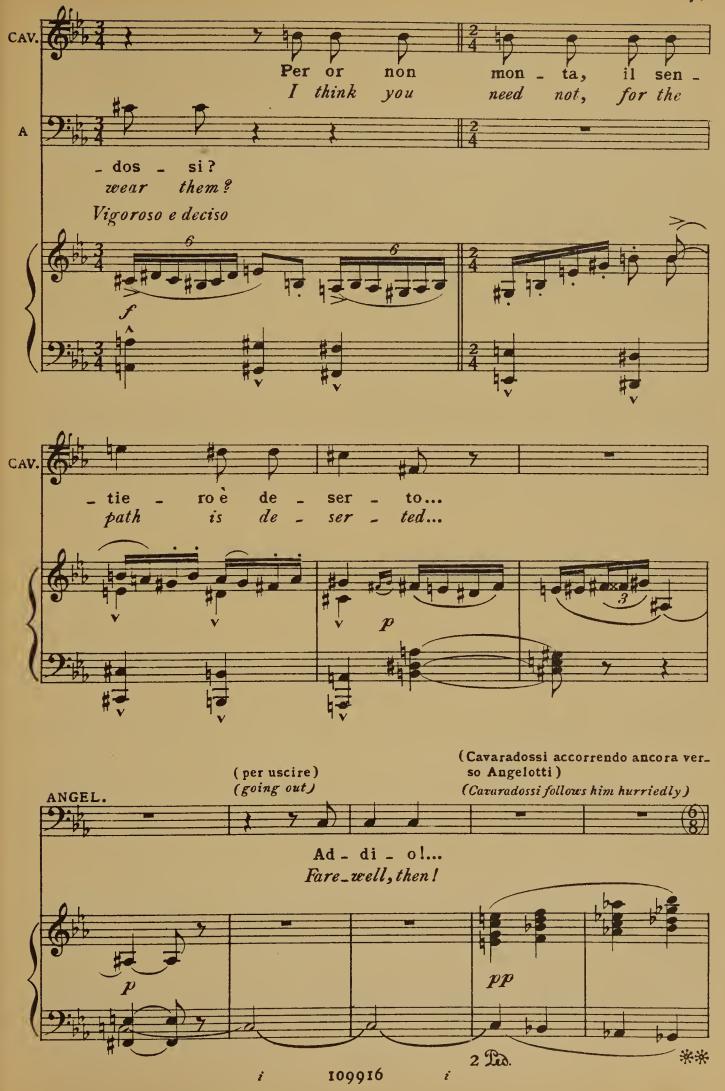


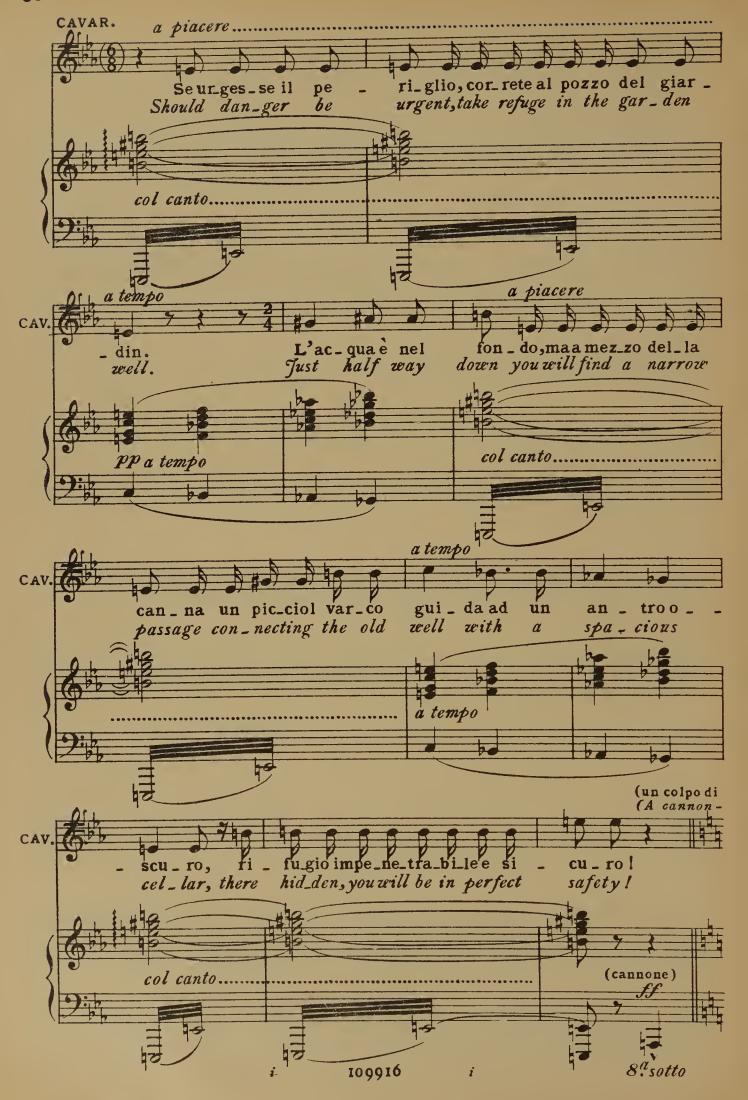


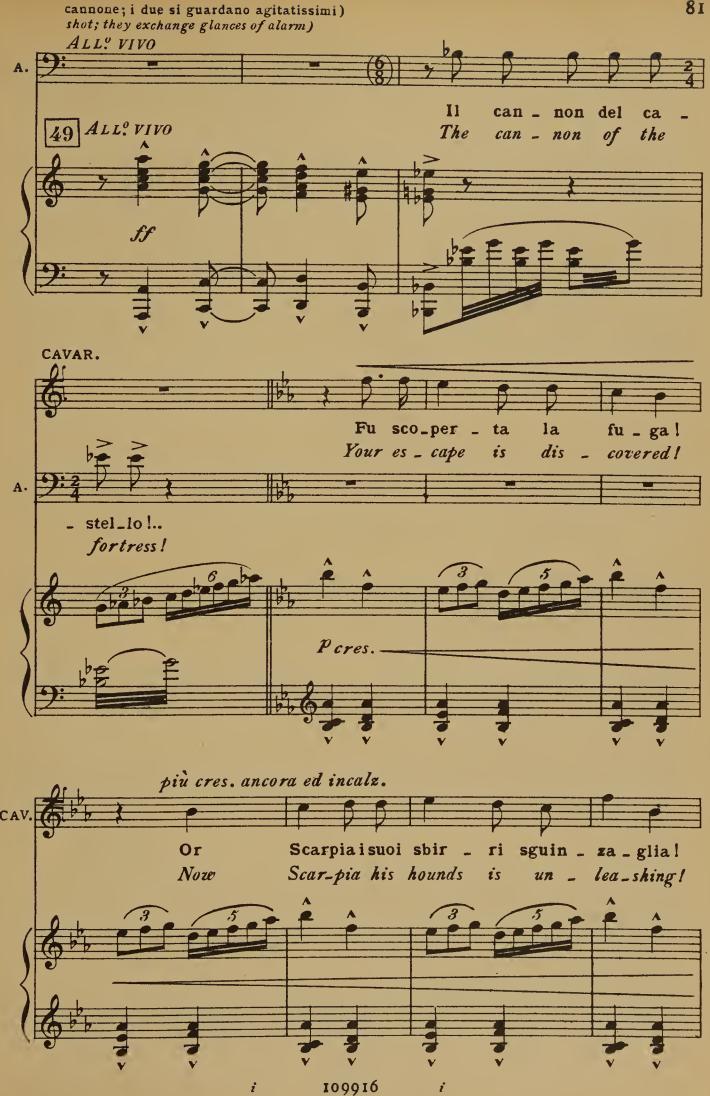


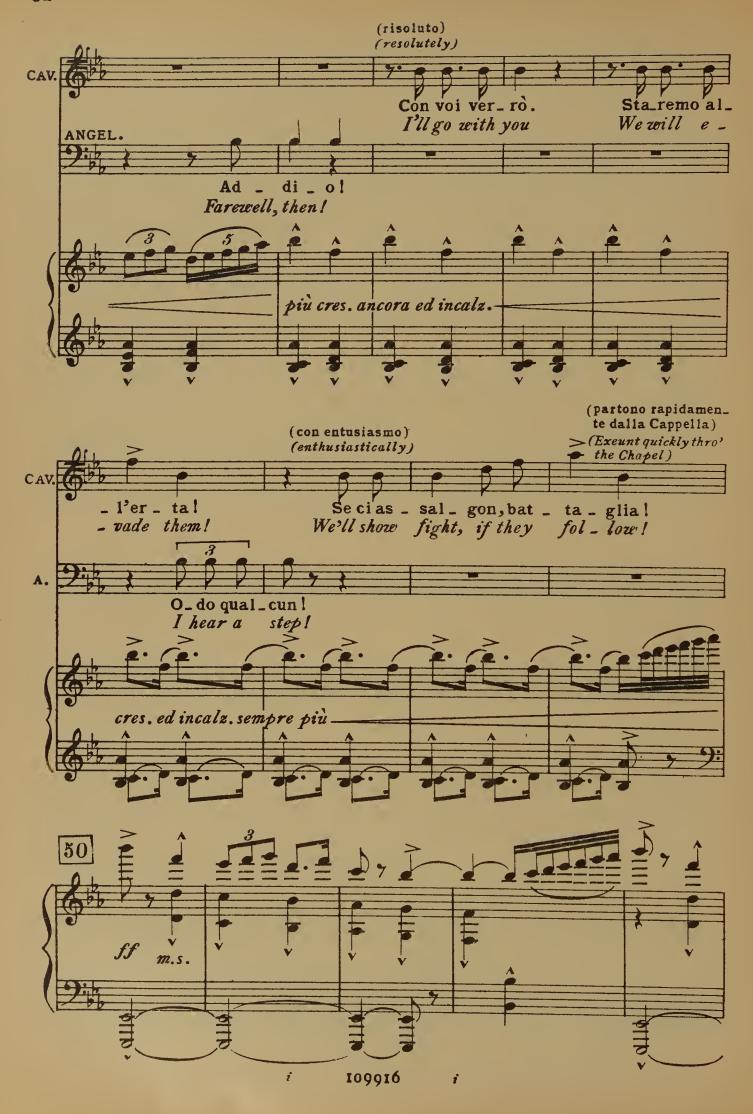


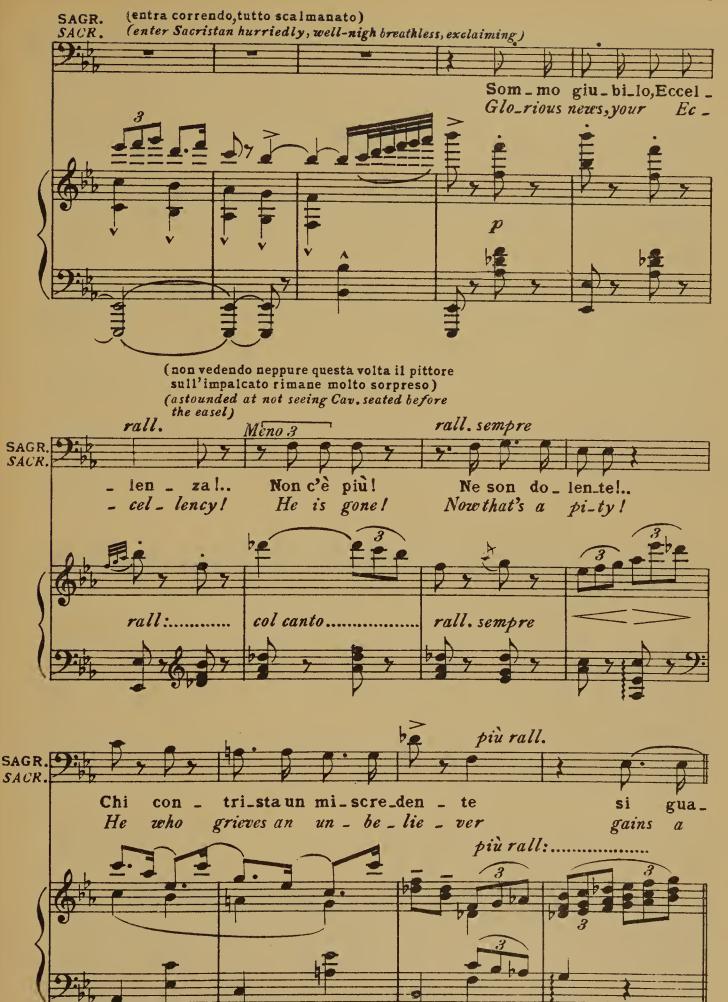


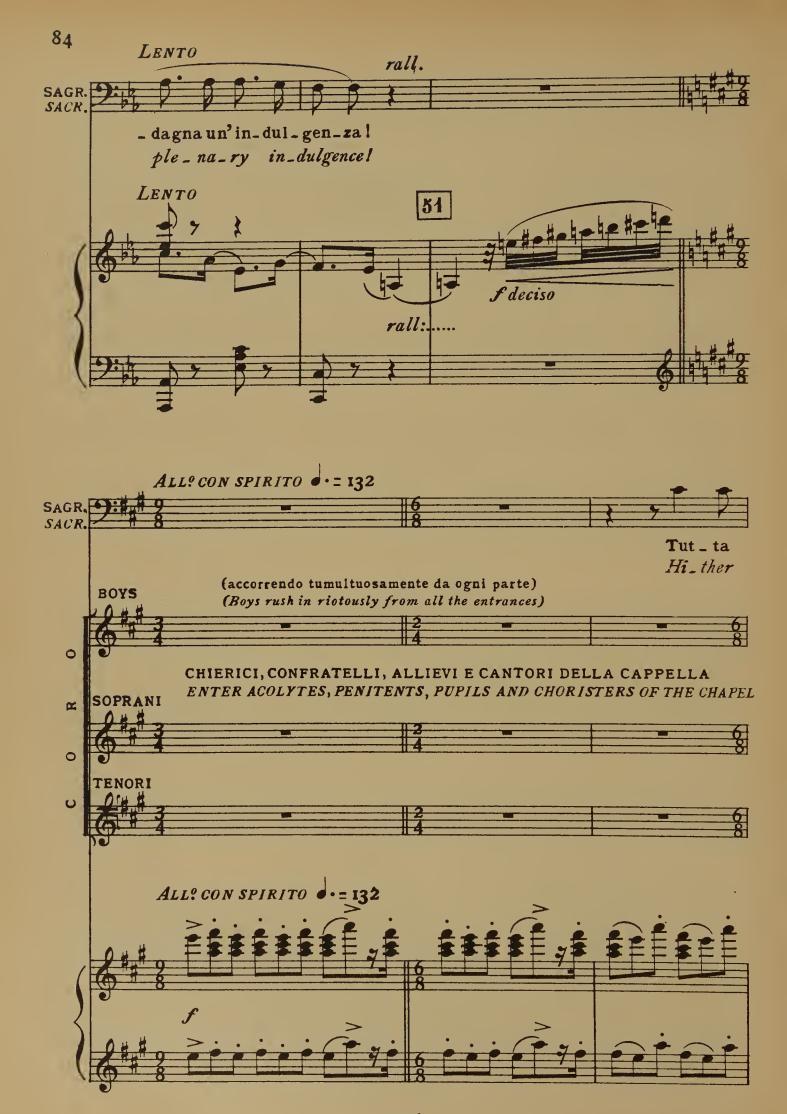


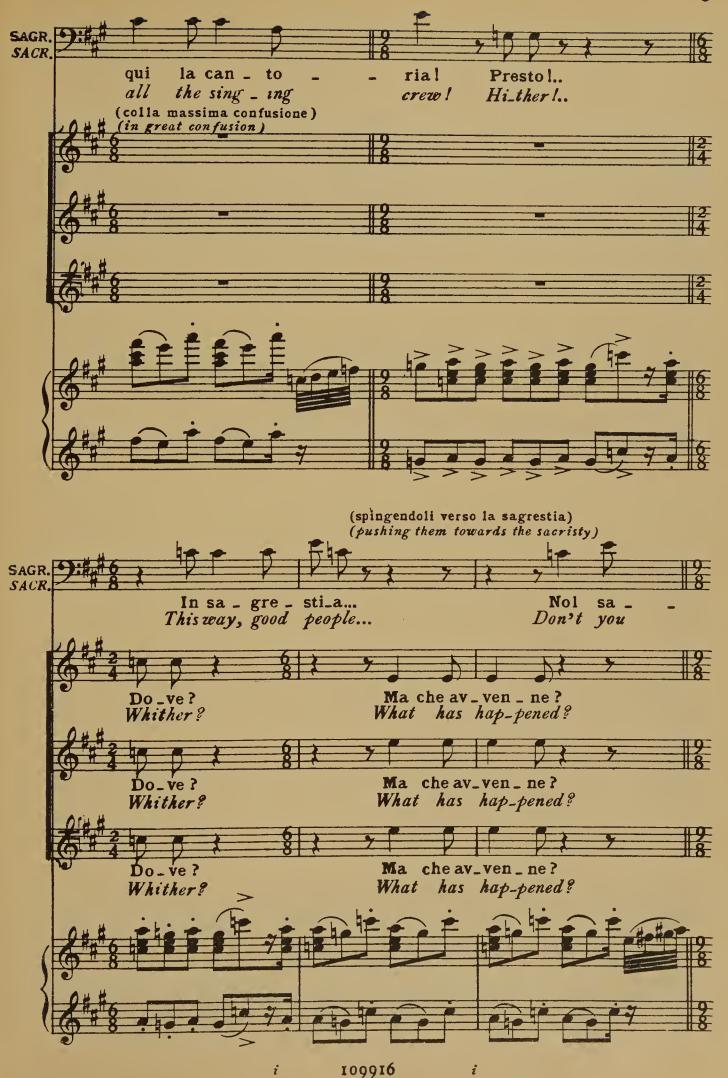


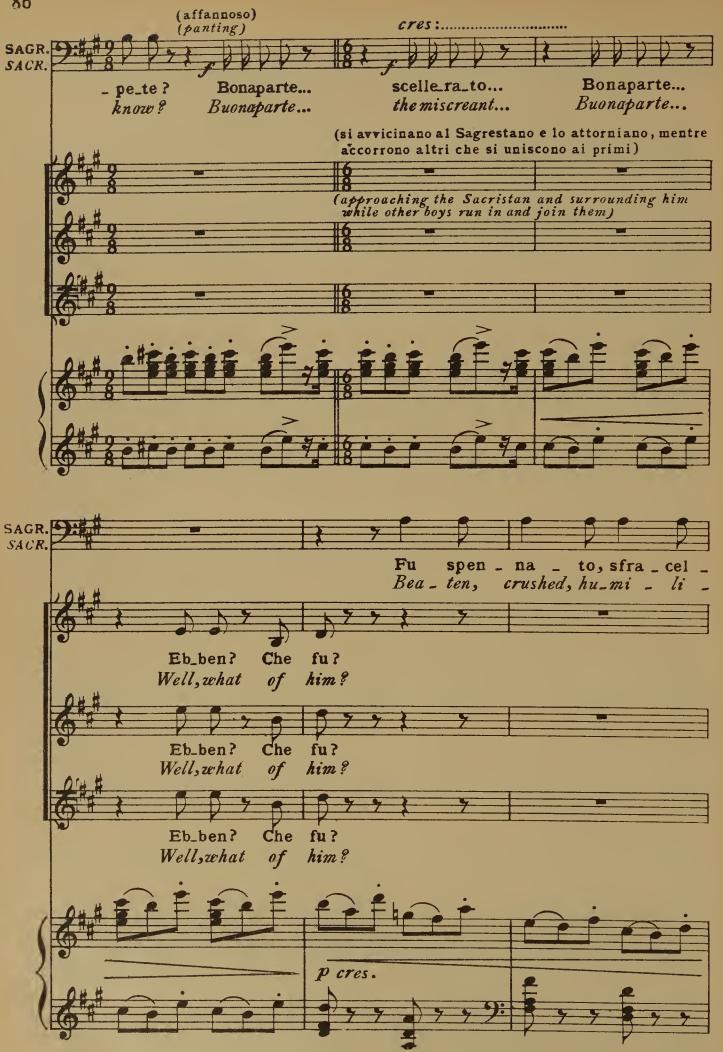


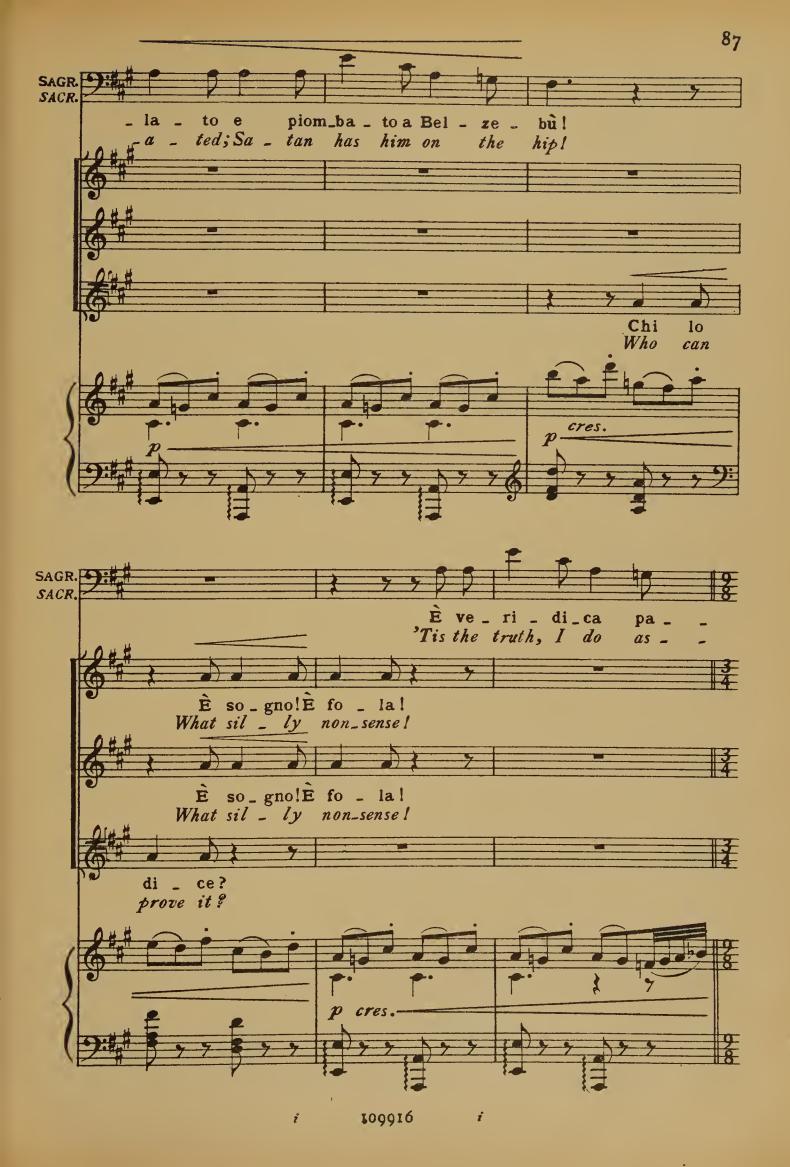


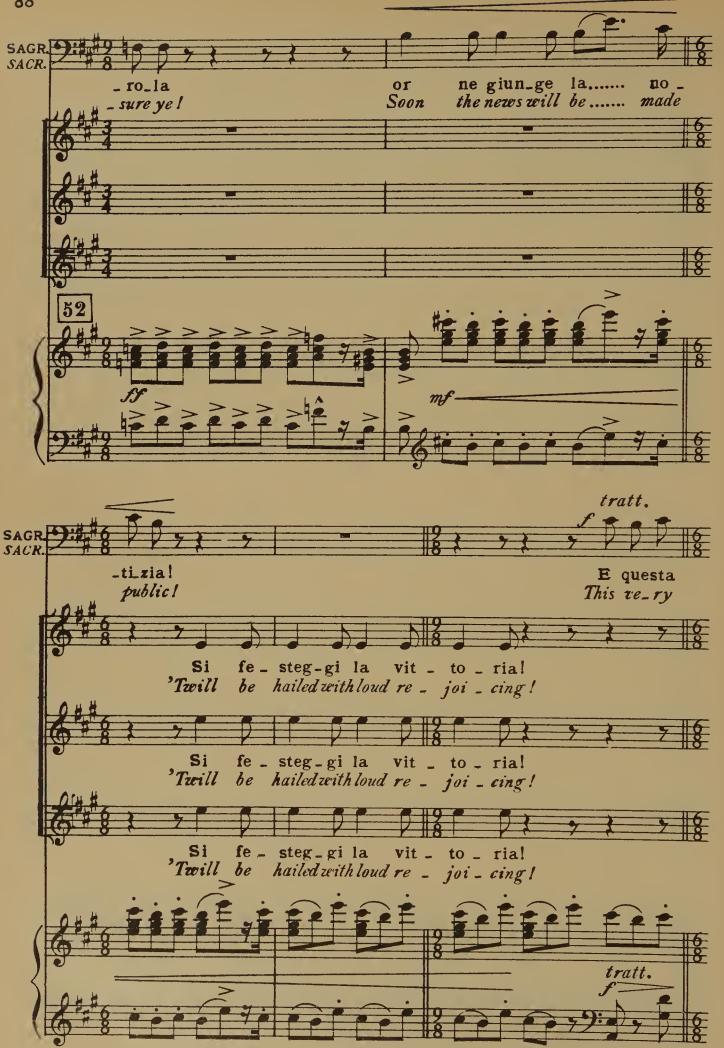


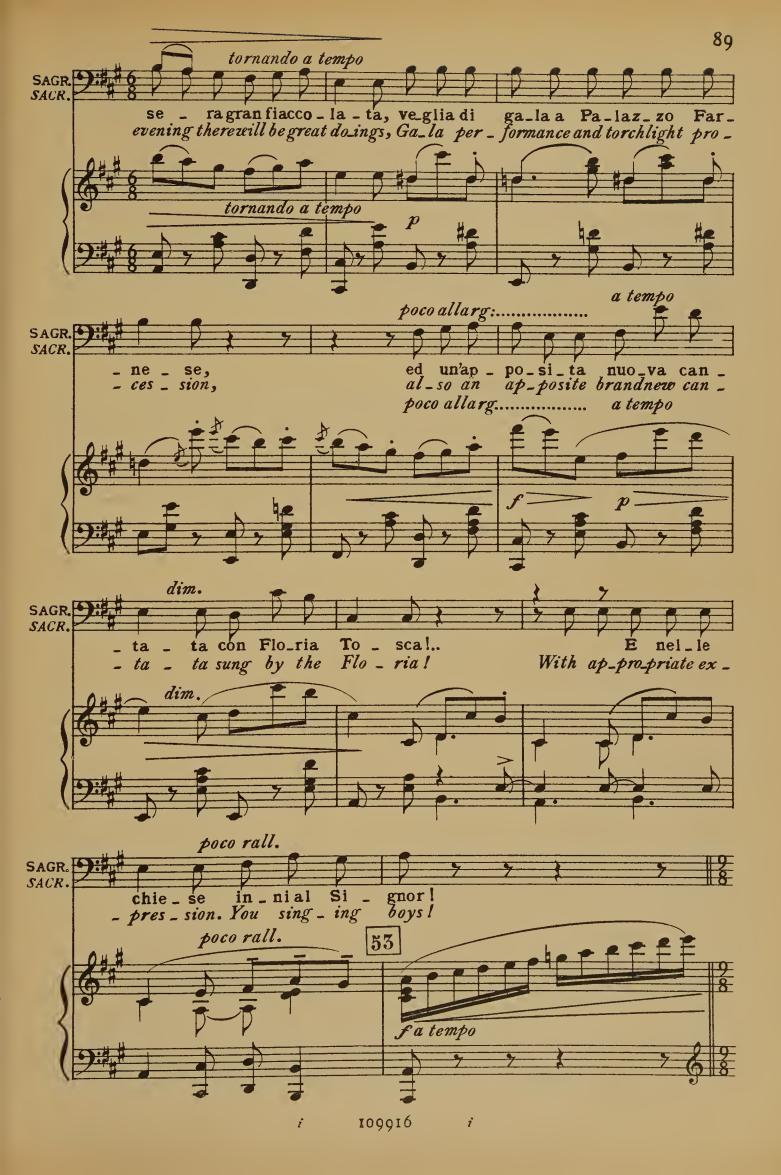


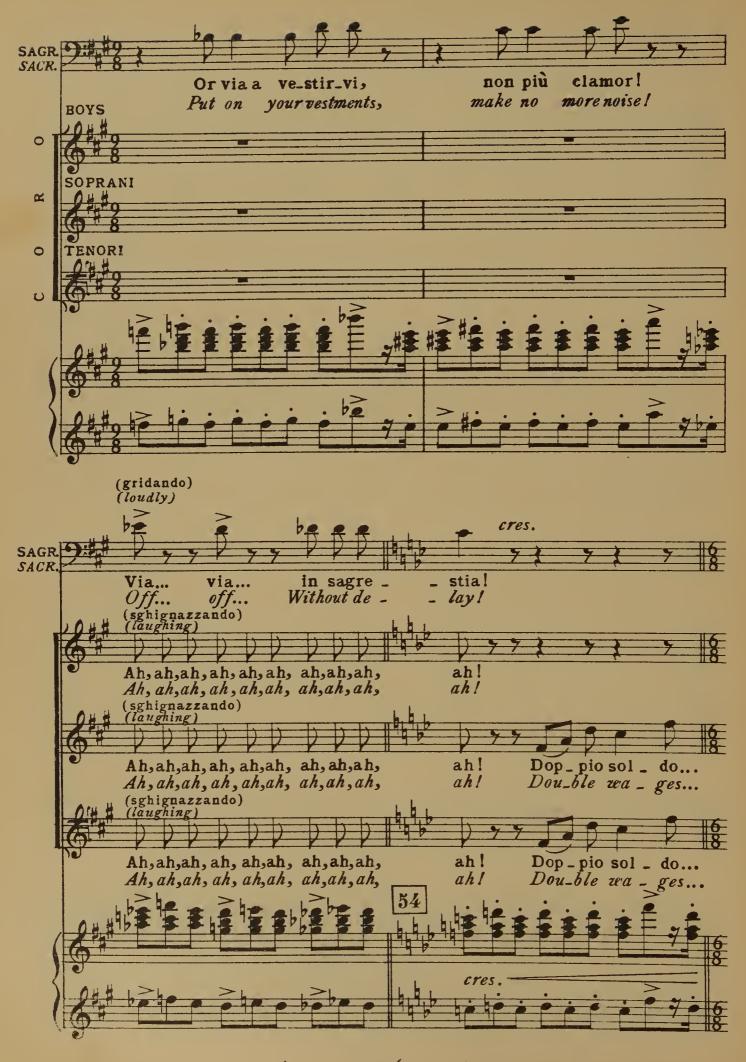


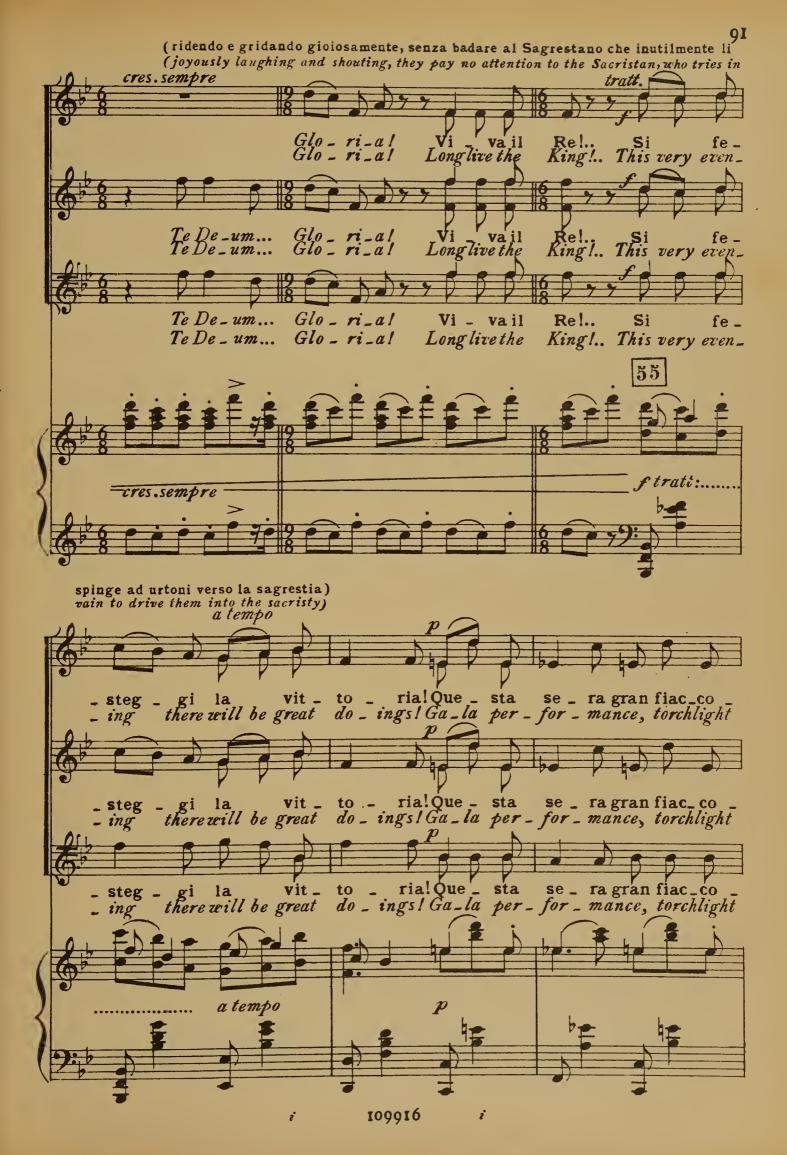


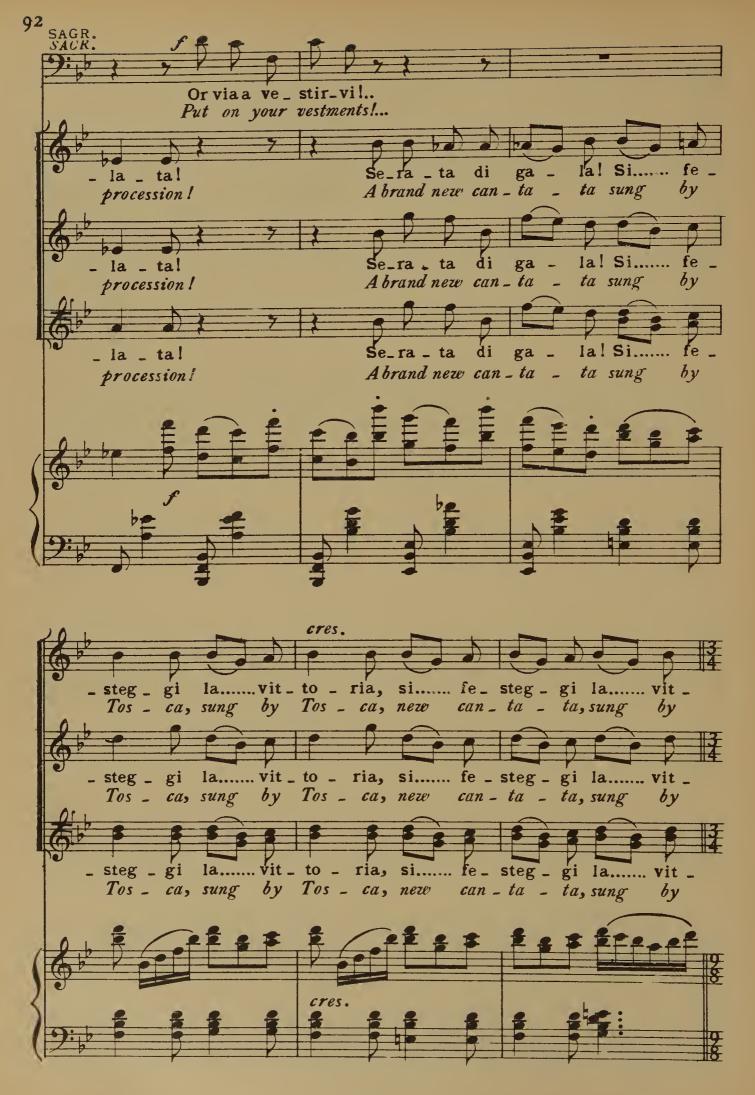




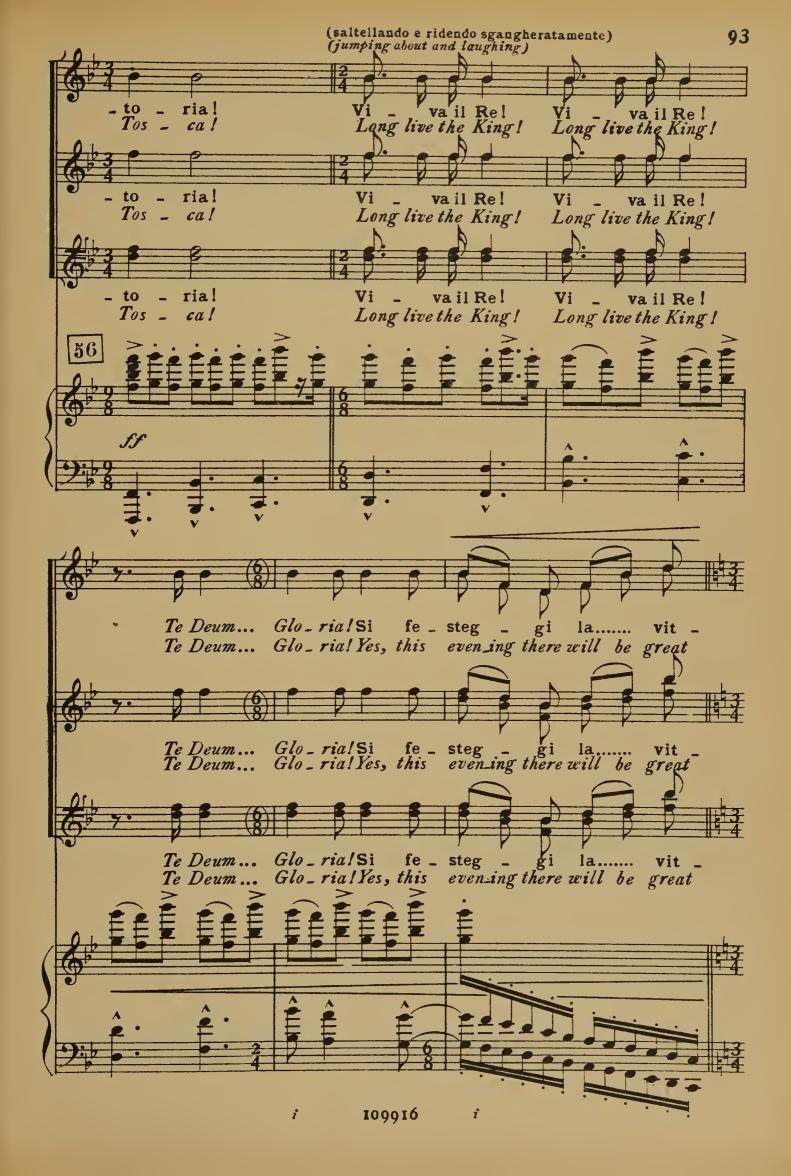


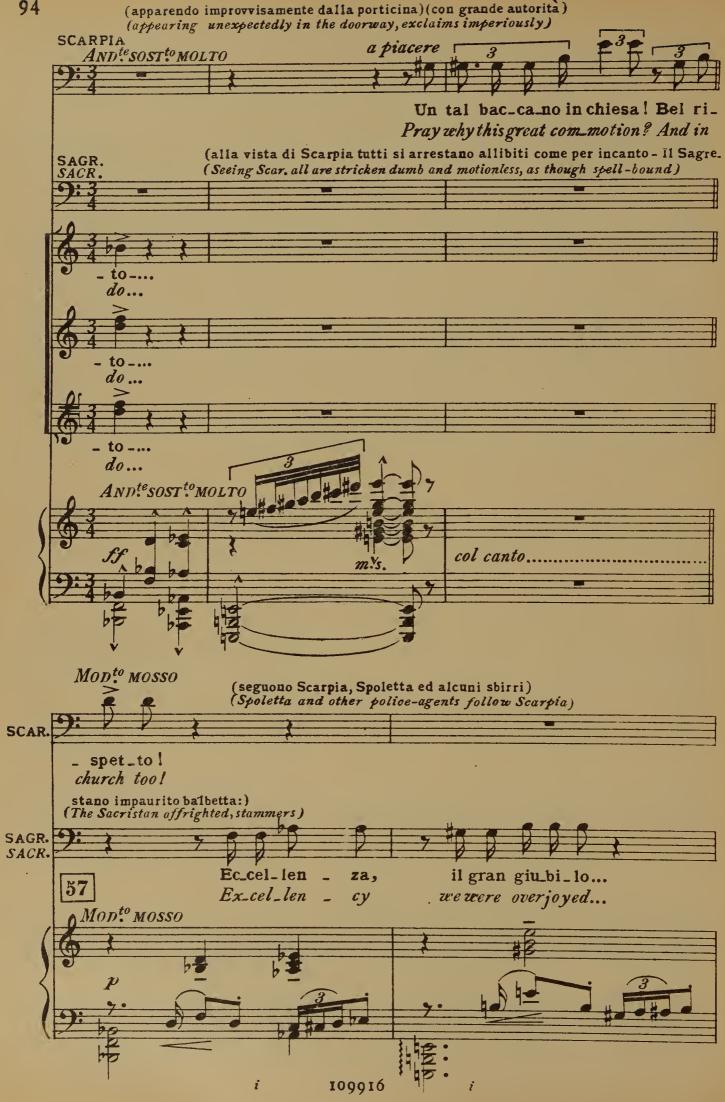


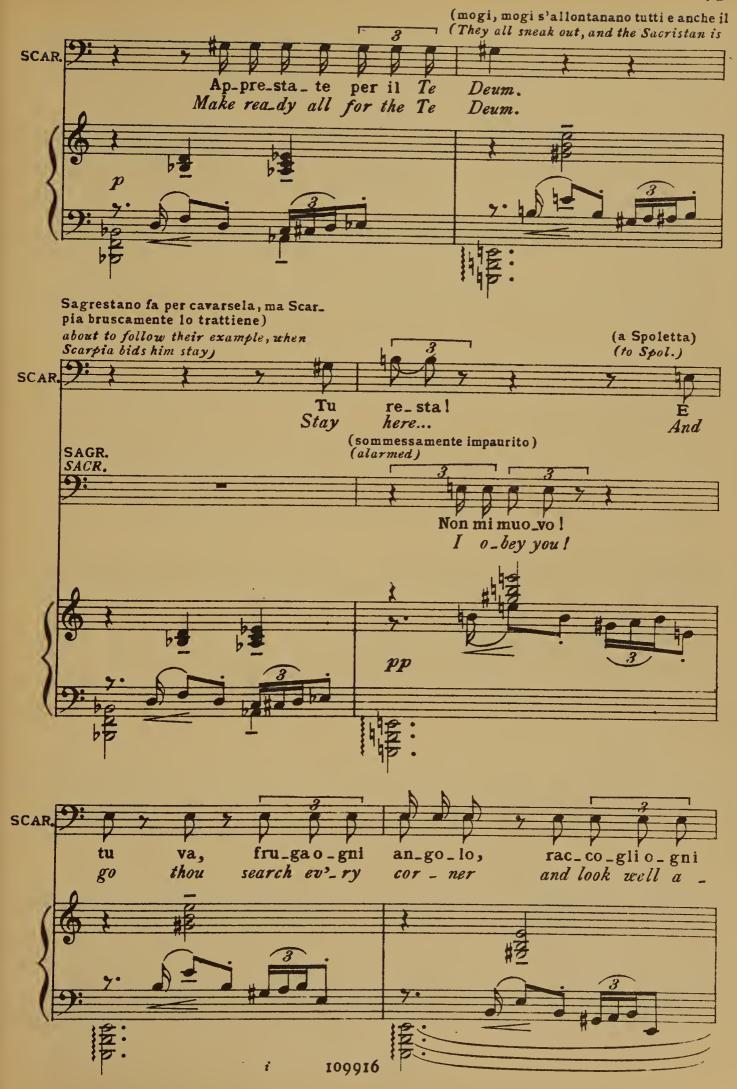




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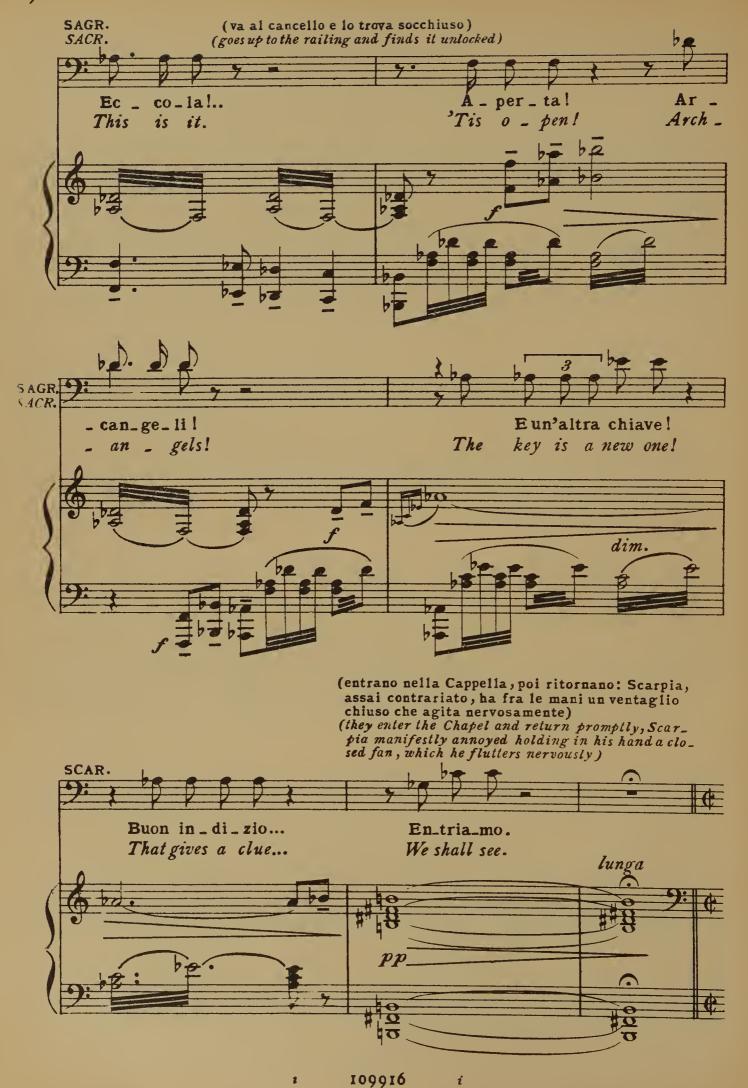


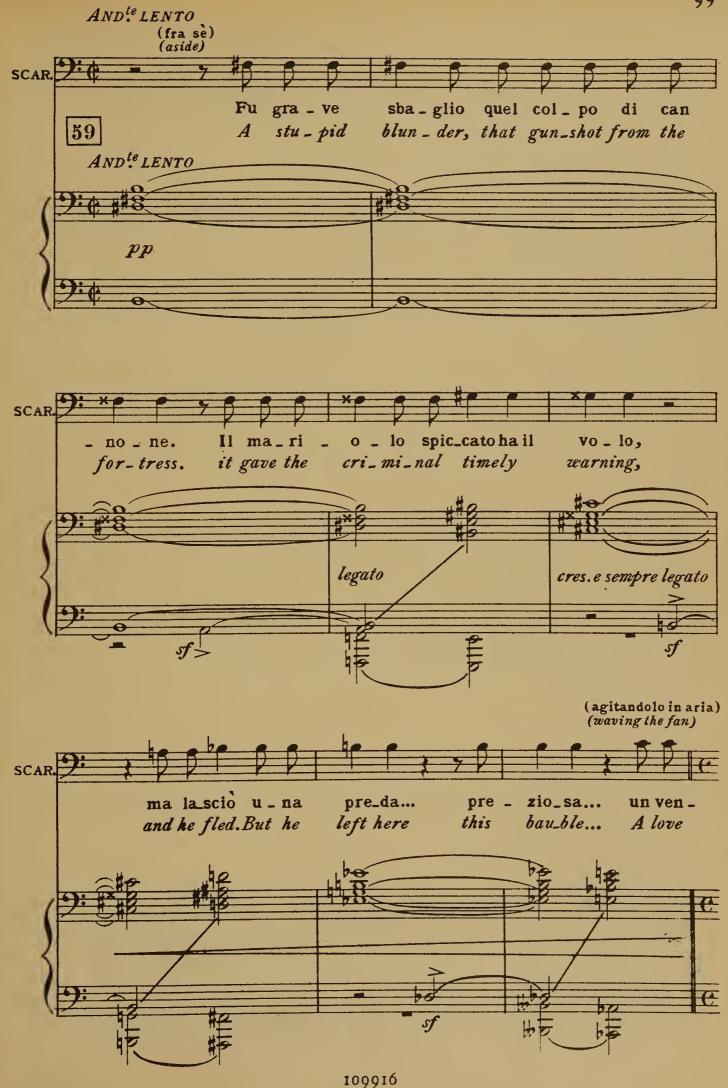




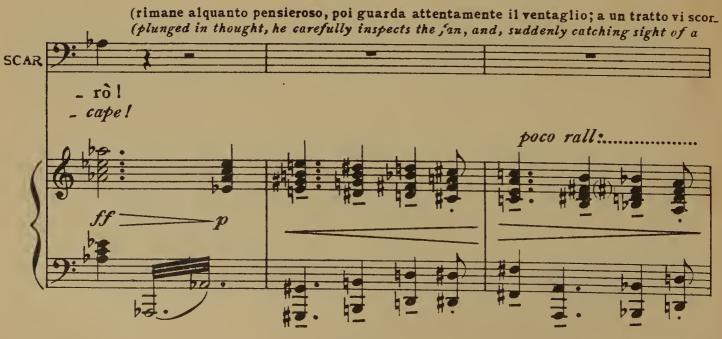






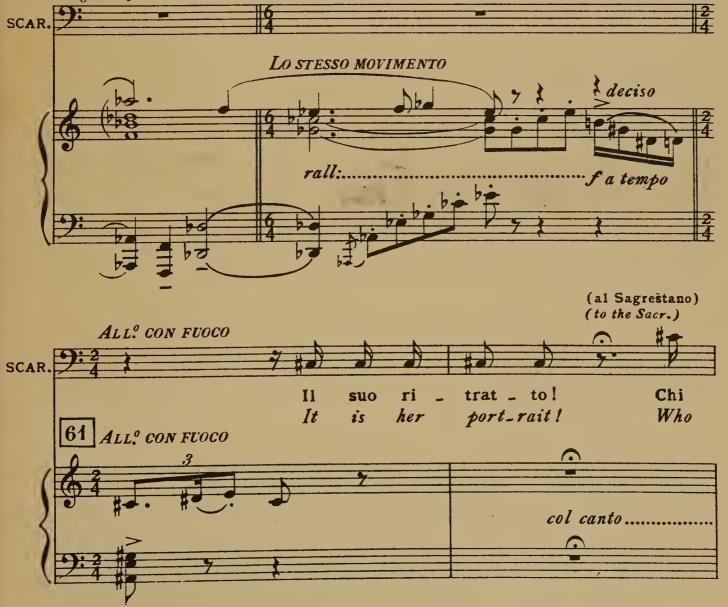


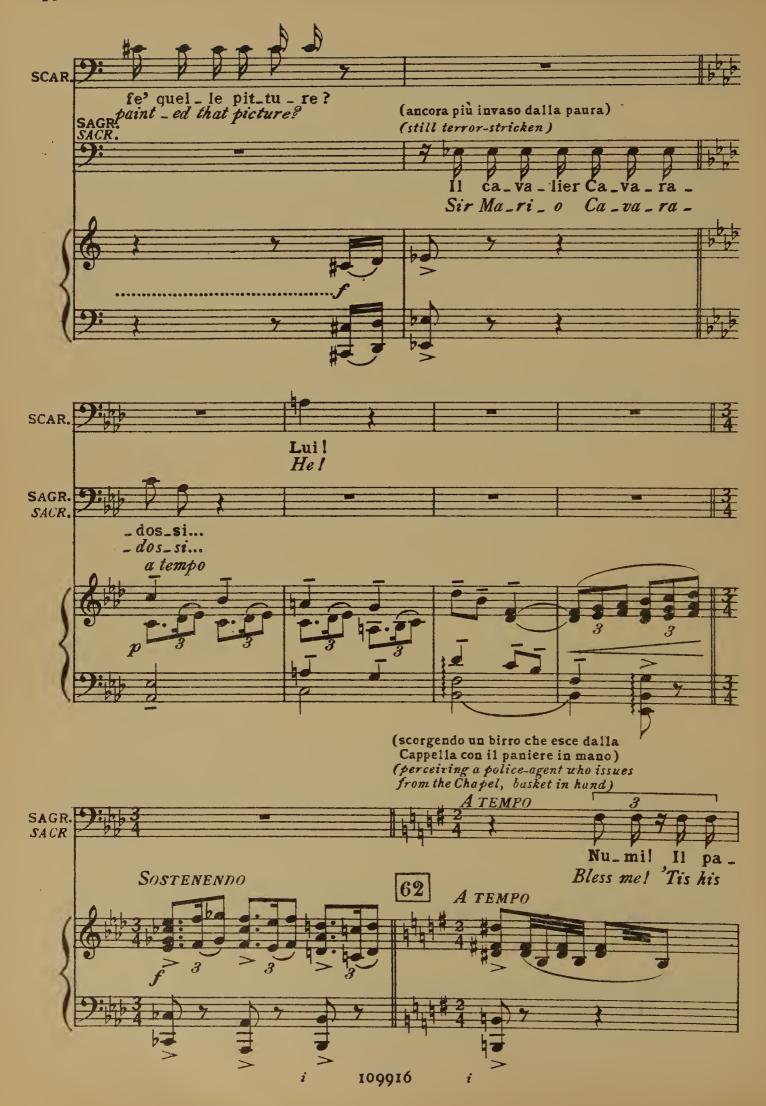


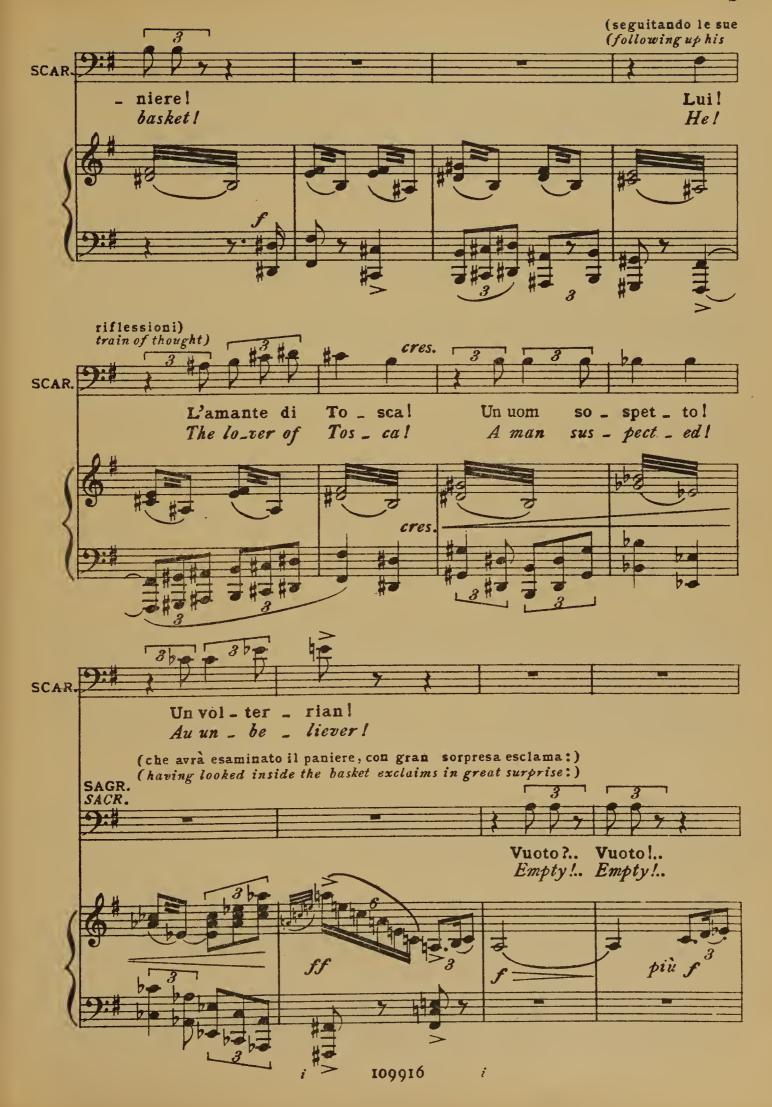


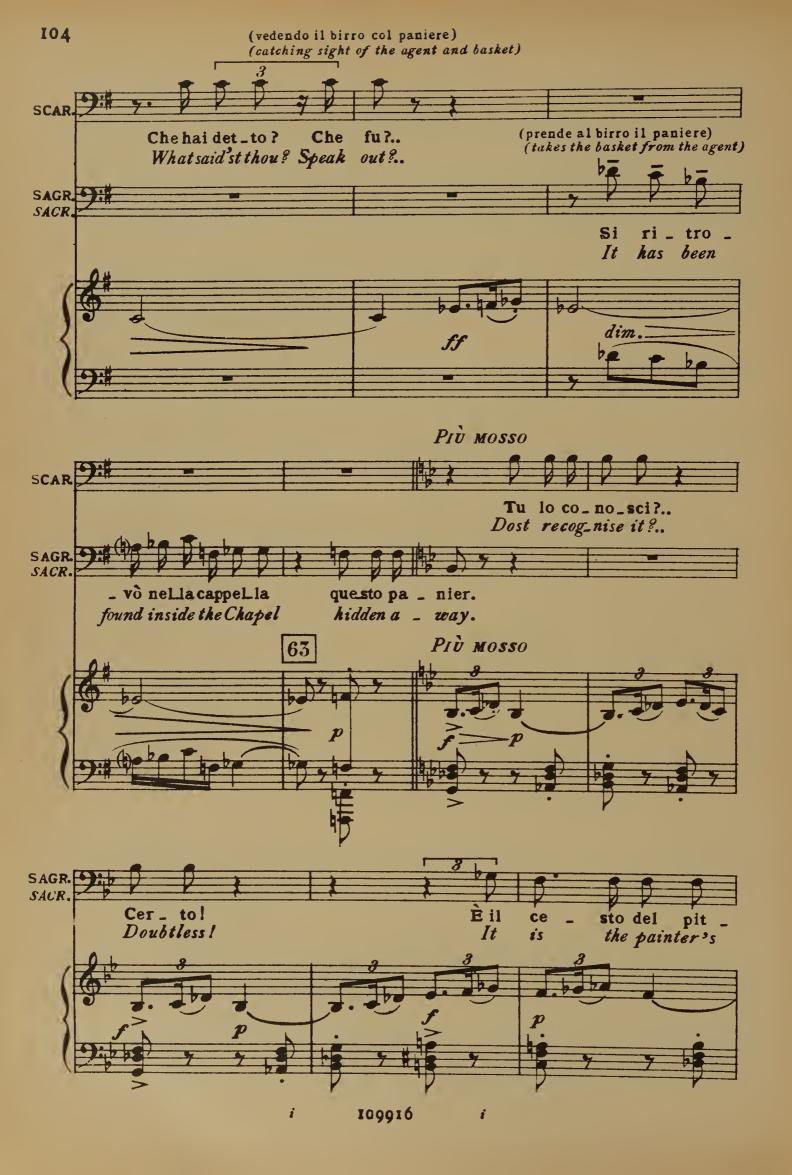


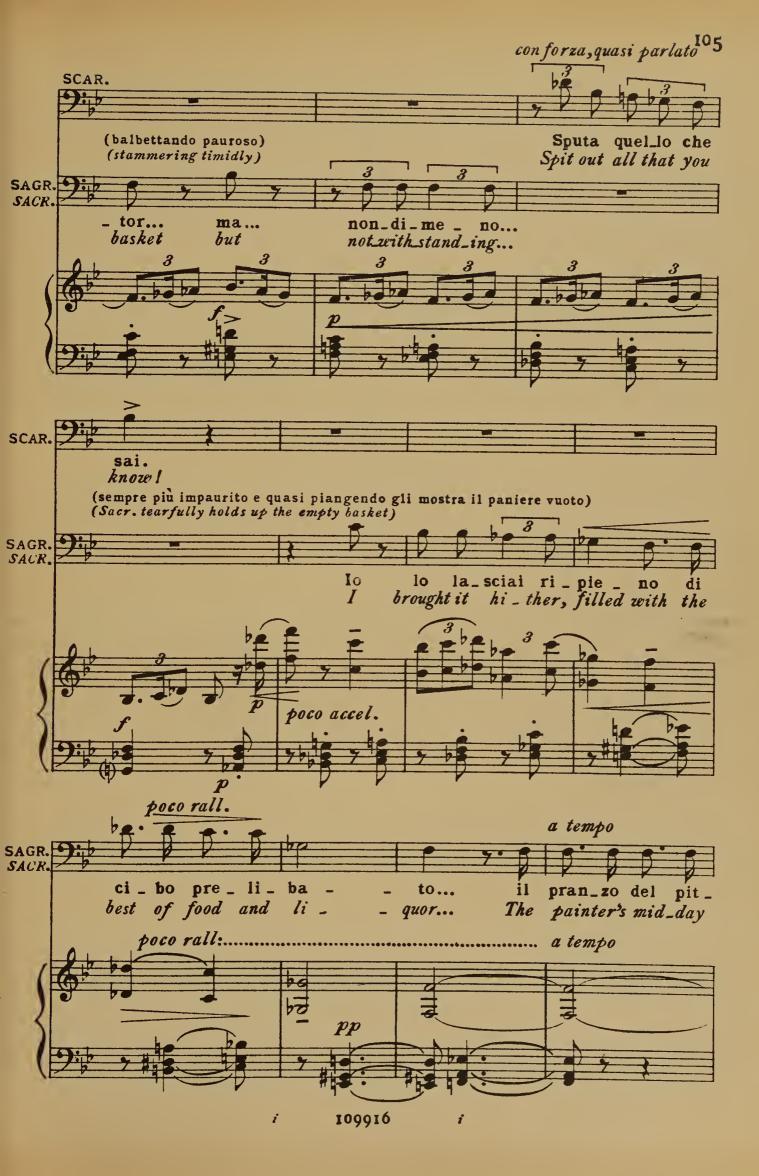
do ogni angolo della chiesa: i suoi occhi si arrestano sull'impalcato, sugli arnesi del pittore, sul quadro.....e il noto viso dell' Attavanti gli appare riprodotto nel volto della santa) ning every corner of the church. His attention is caught by the scaffolding, the painter's easel and the picture, in which the well-known face of the Attavanti is reproduced in that of Mary Magdalen)



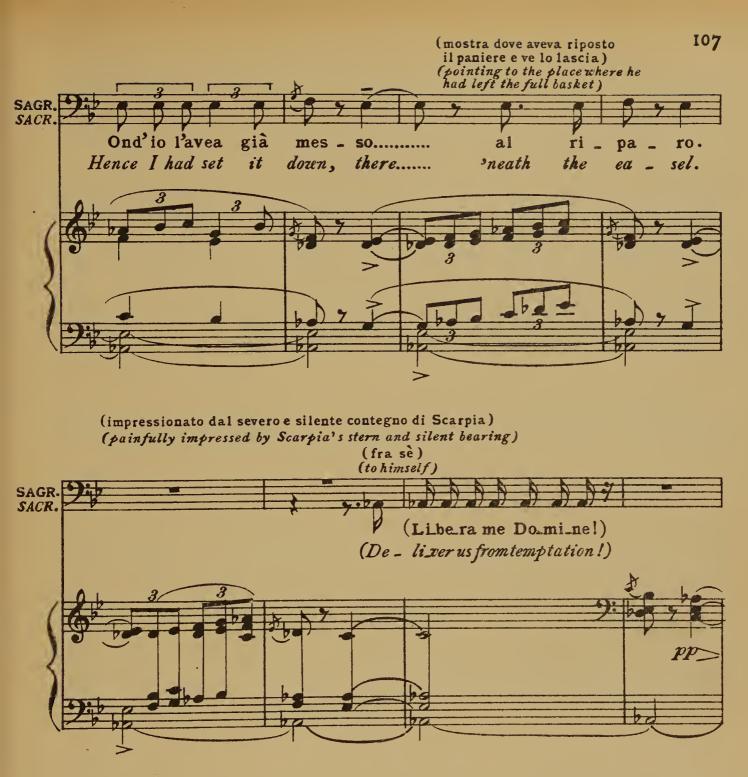


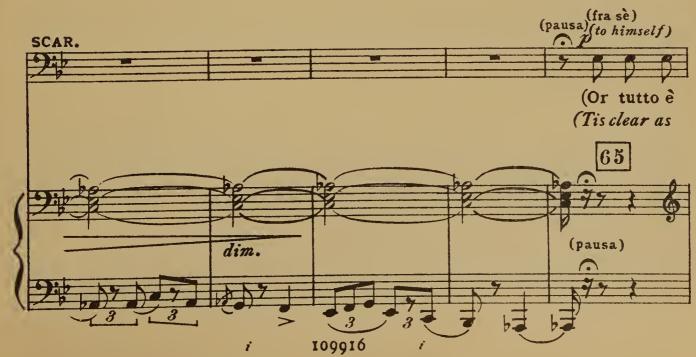


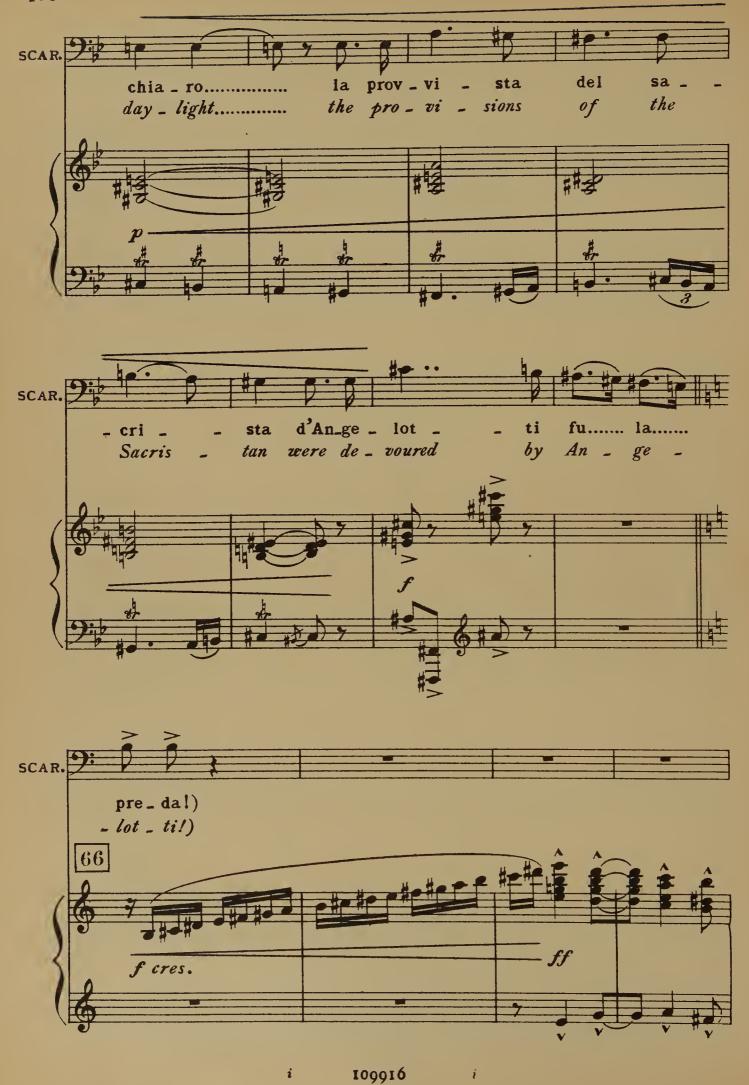








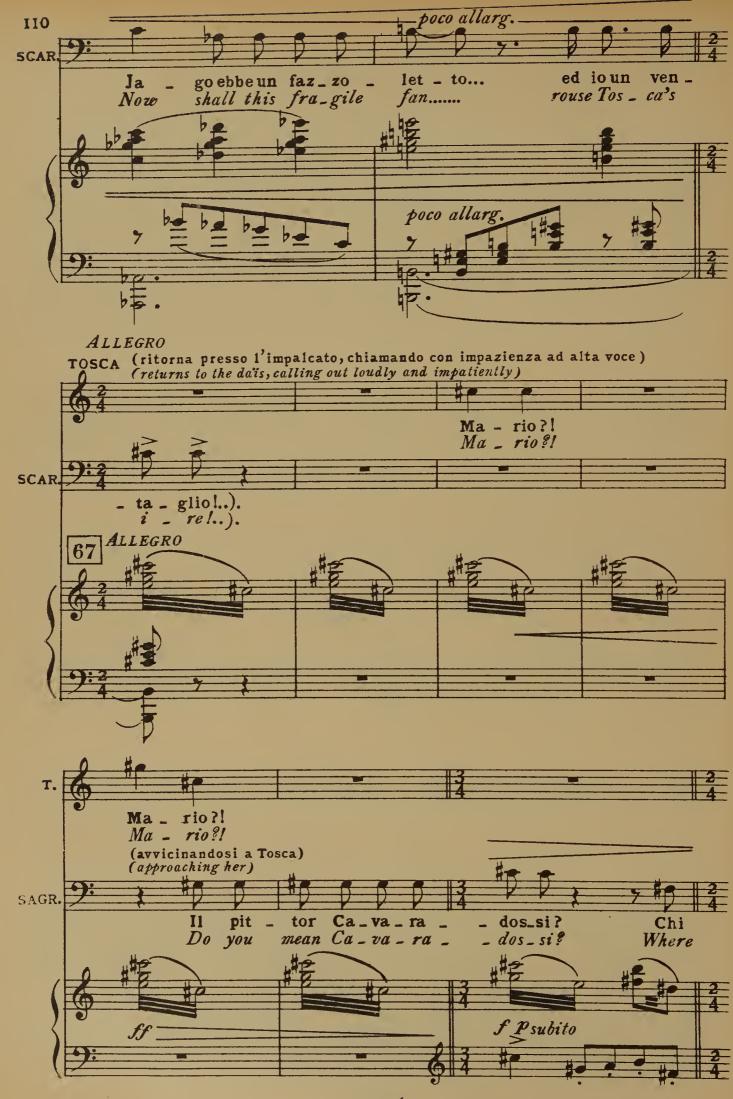


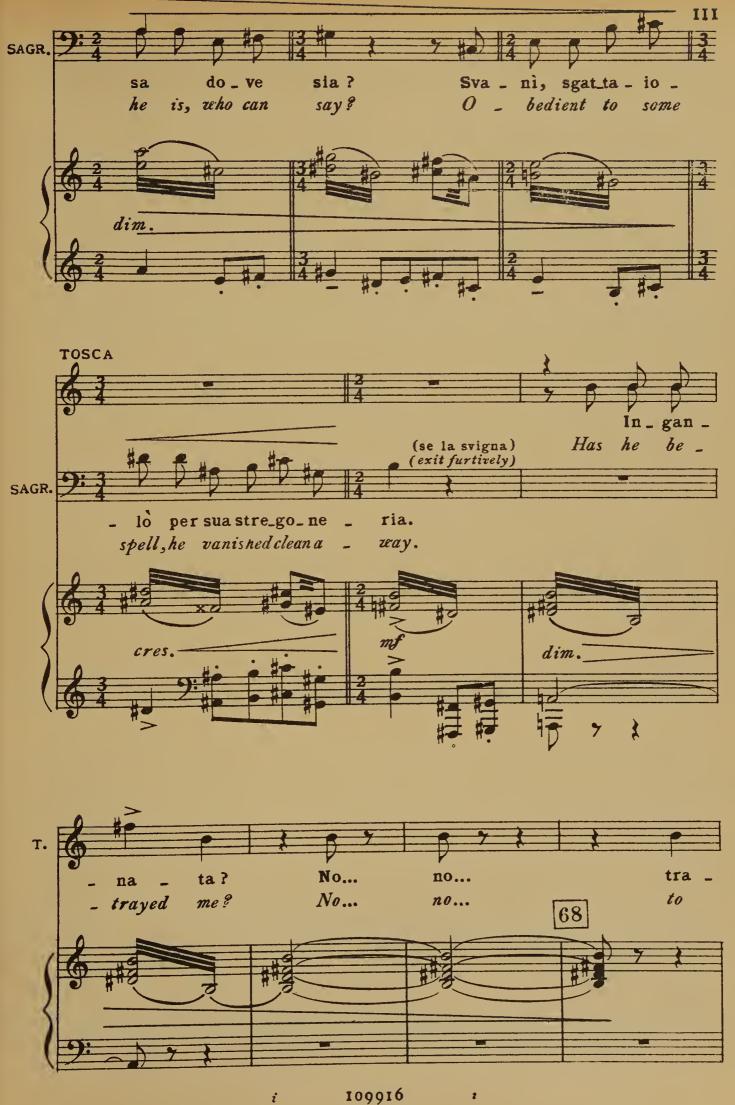


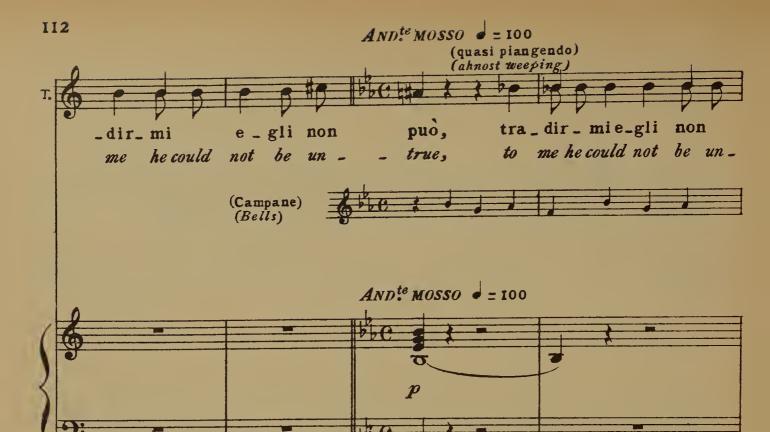
(Tosca entra, ed è nervosissima: va dritta all' impalcato, ma non trovandovi Cavaradossi, sempre in grande agitazione va a cercarlo nella navata centrale della chiesa: Scarpia appena vista entrare Tosca, si è abilmente nascosto dietro la colonna ov'è la pila dell'acqua benedetta, facendo imperioso cenno di rimanere al sagrestano; il quale, tremante, imbarazzato, si reca vicino al palco del pittore)

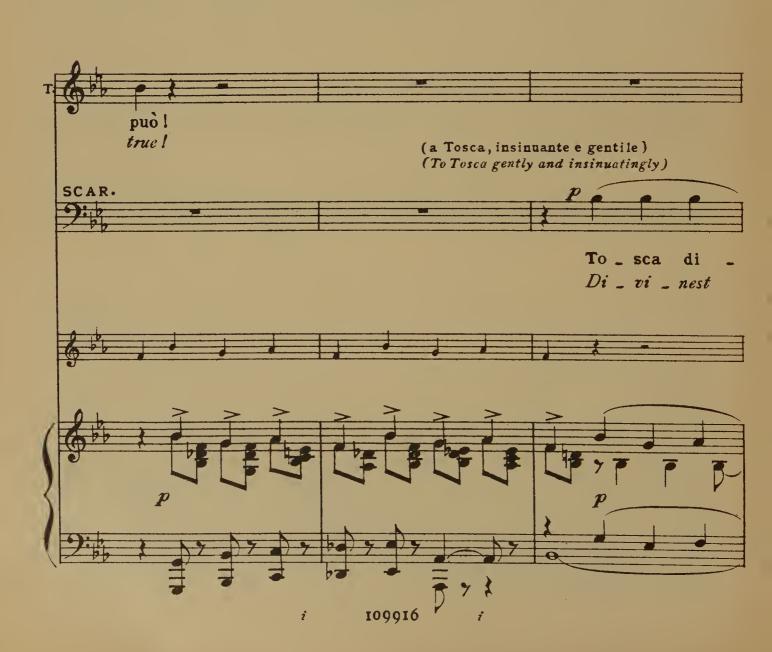
(Tosca enters nervously; she walks straight up to the scaffolding. Not finding Cavaradossi there, in great agitation, she searches for him in the central nave of the church. Scarpia as soon as he sees her come in hides behind the pillar to which the holy-water trough is affixed, imperatively signalling the Sacristan to stay where he is. The Sacristan trembling with confusion, stands near the painter's daïs)



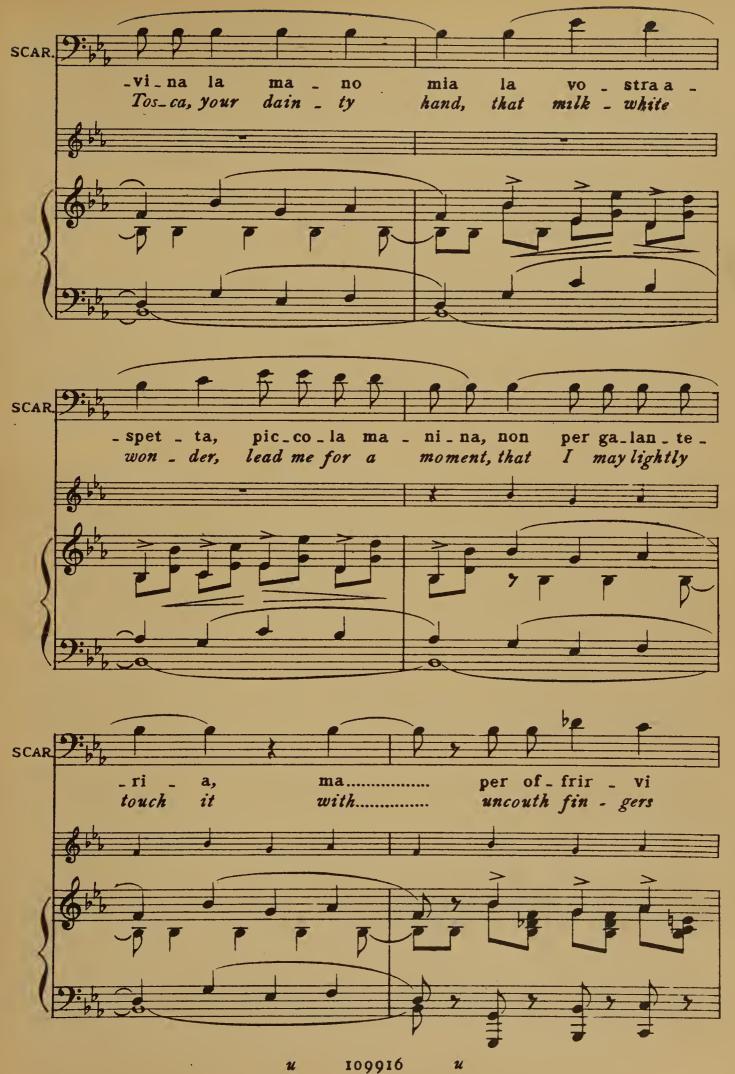


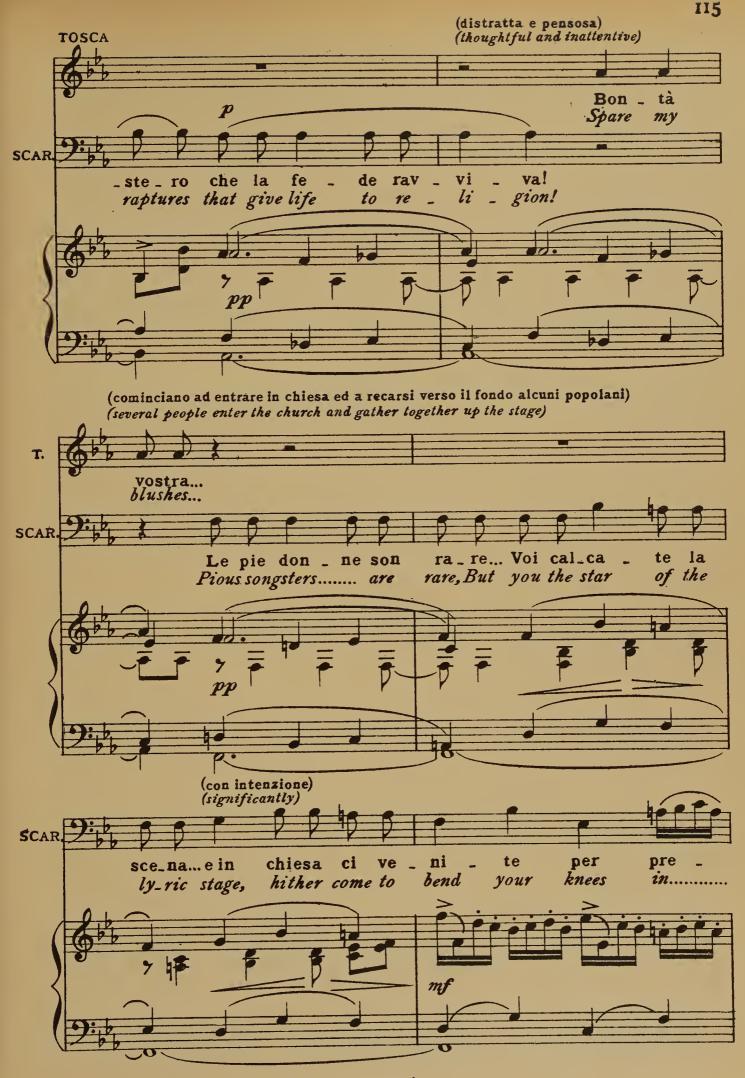


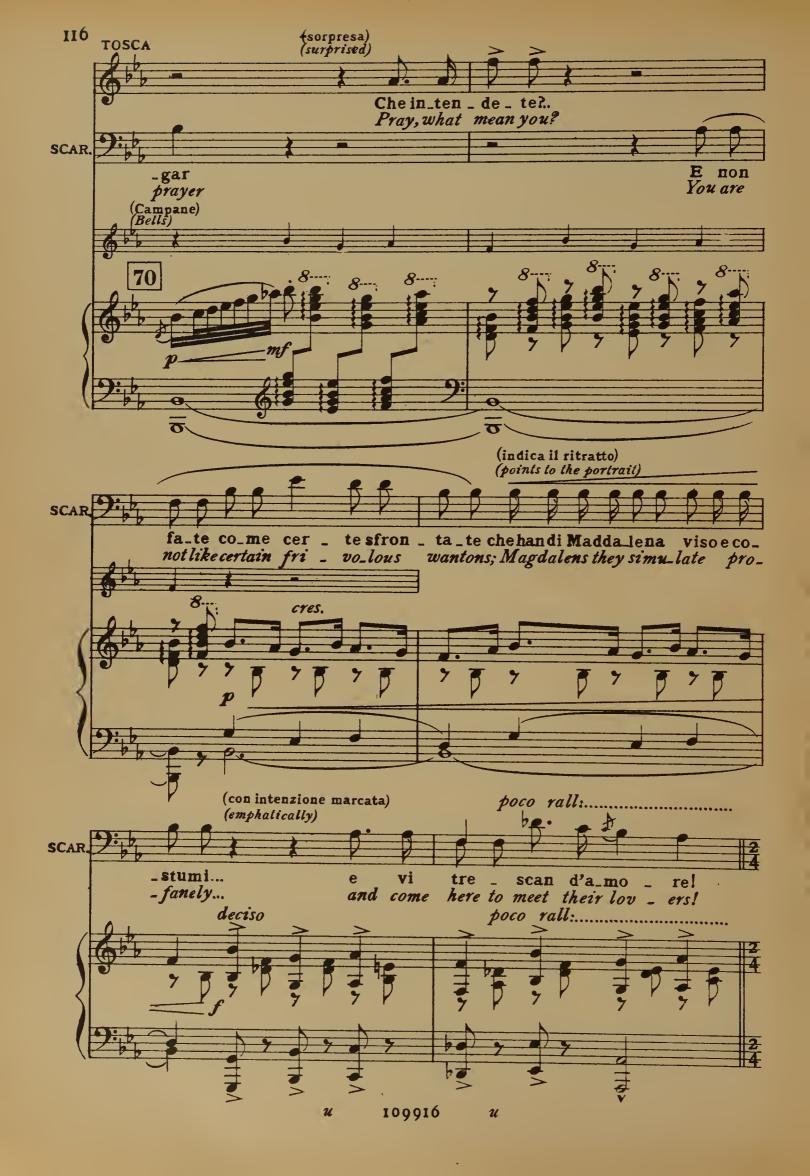




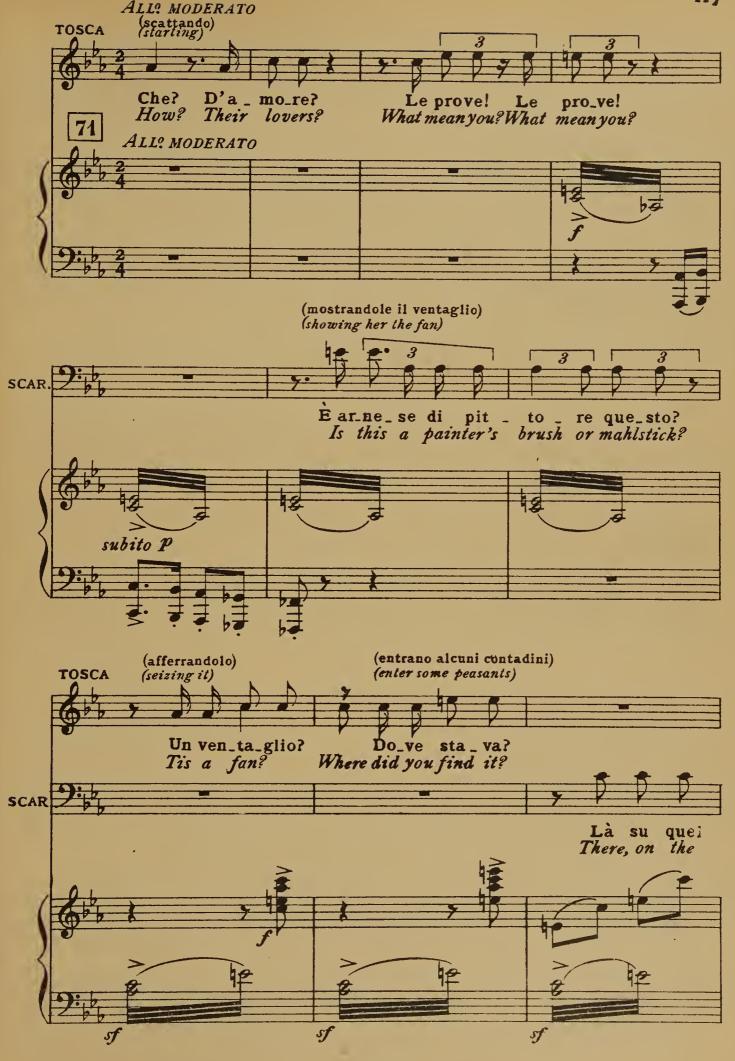


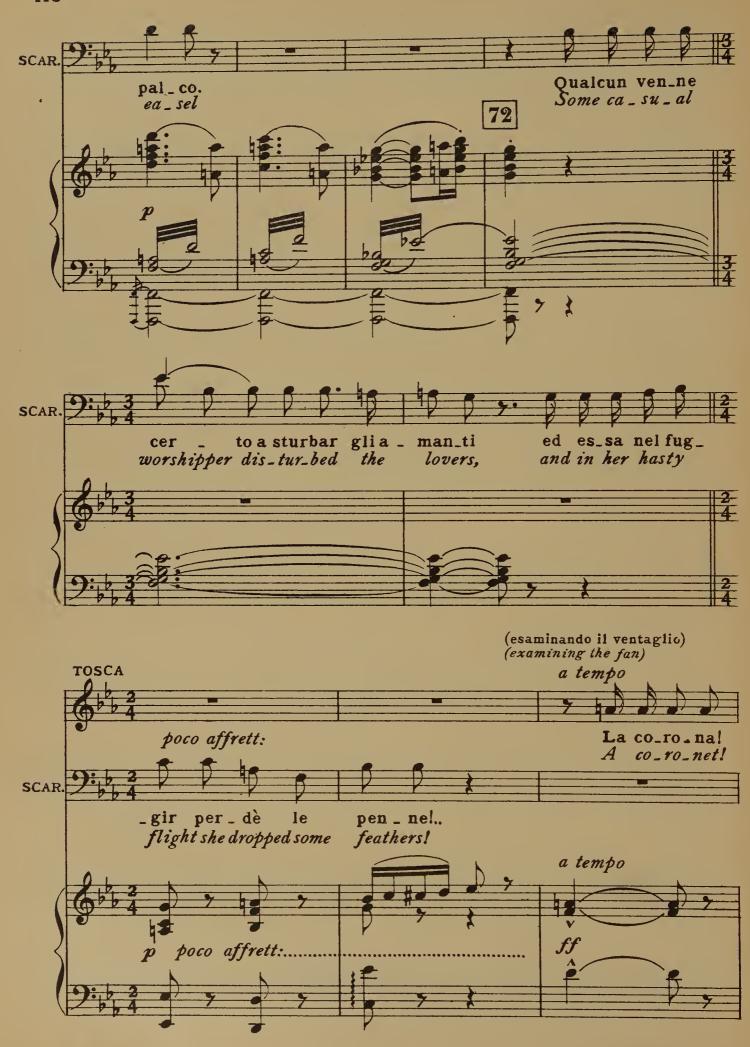


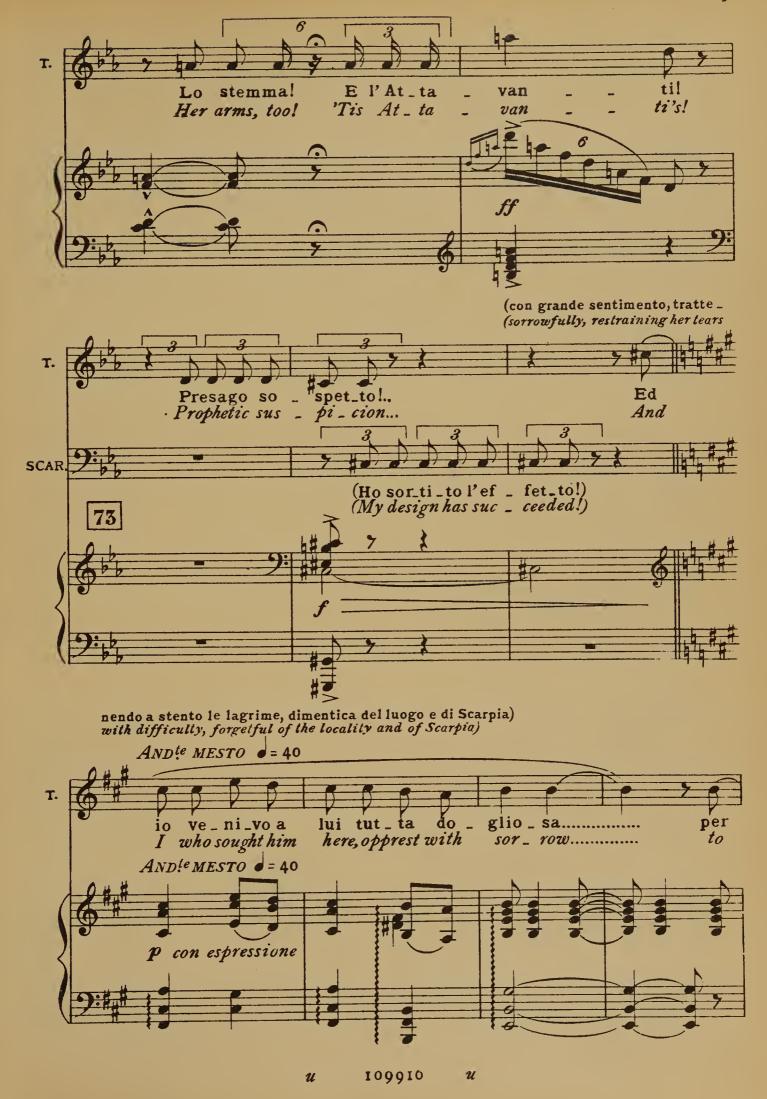


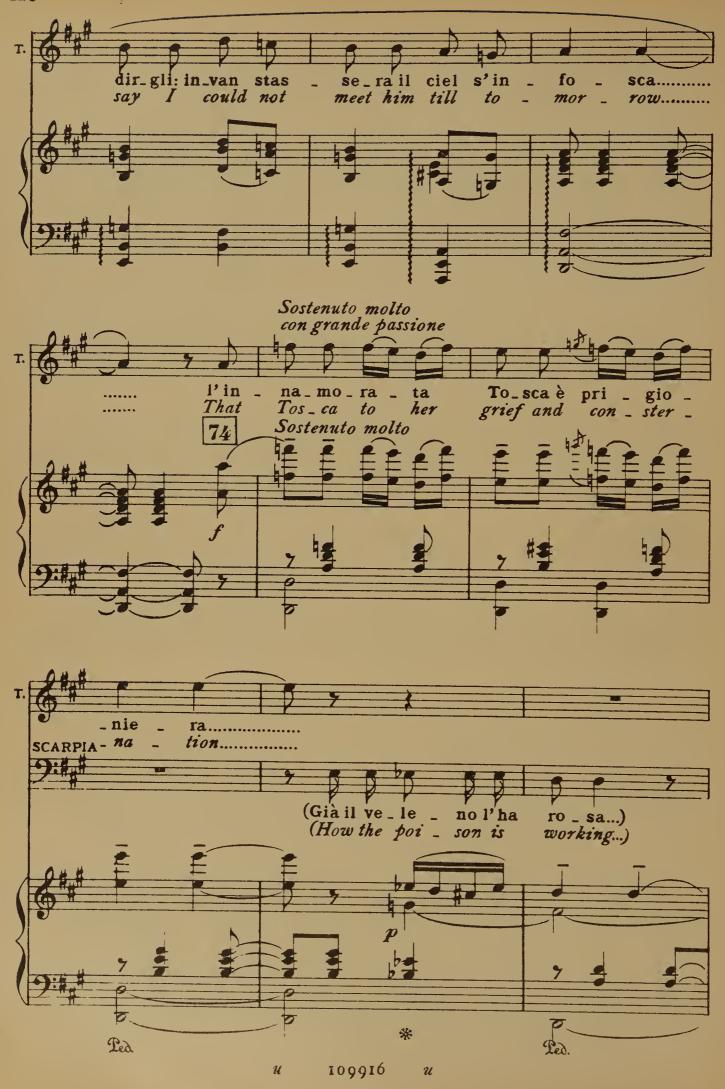


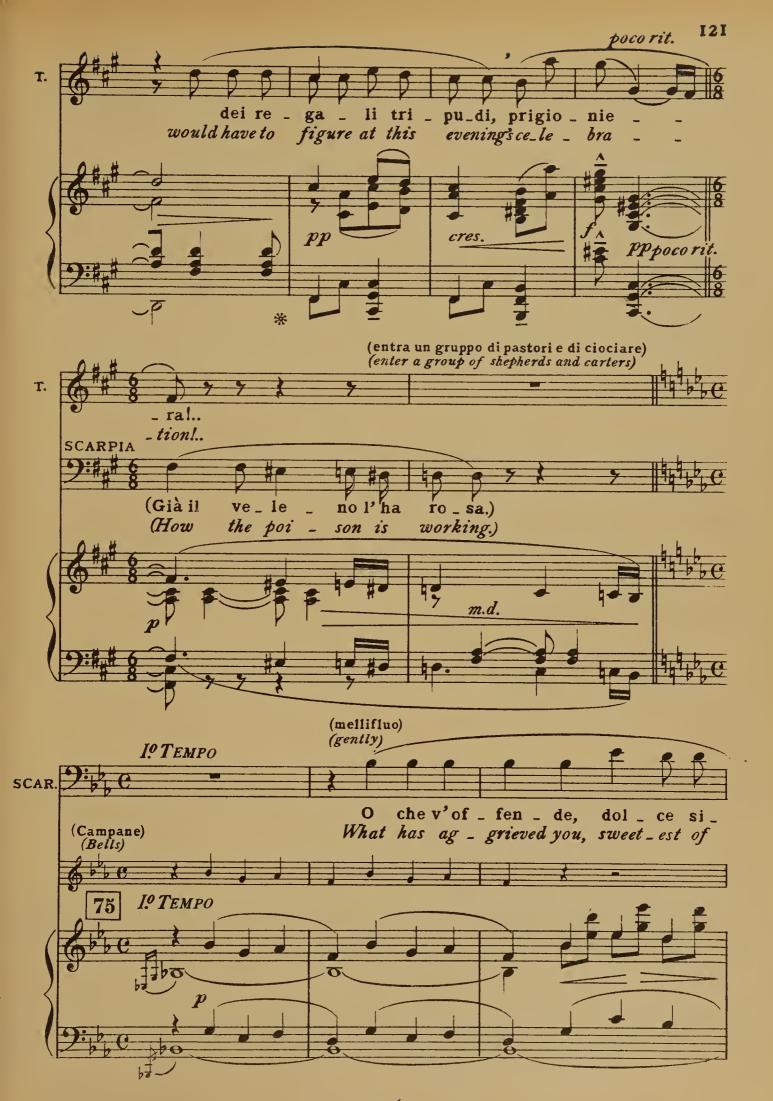






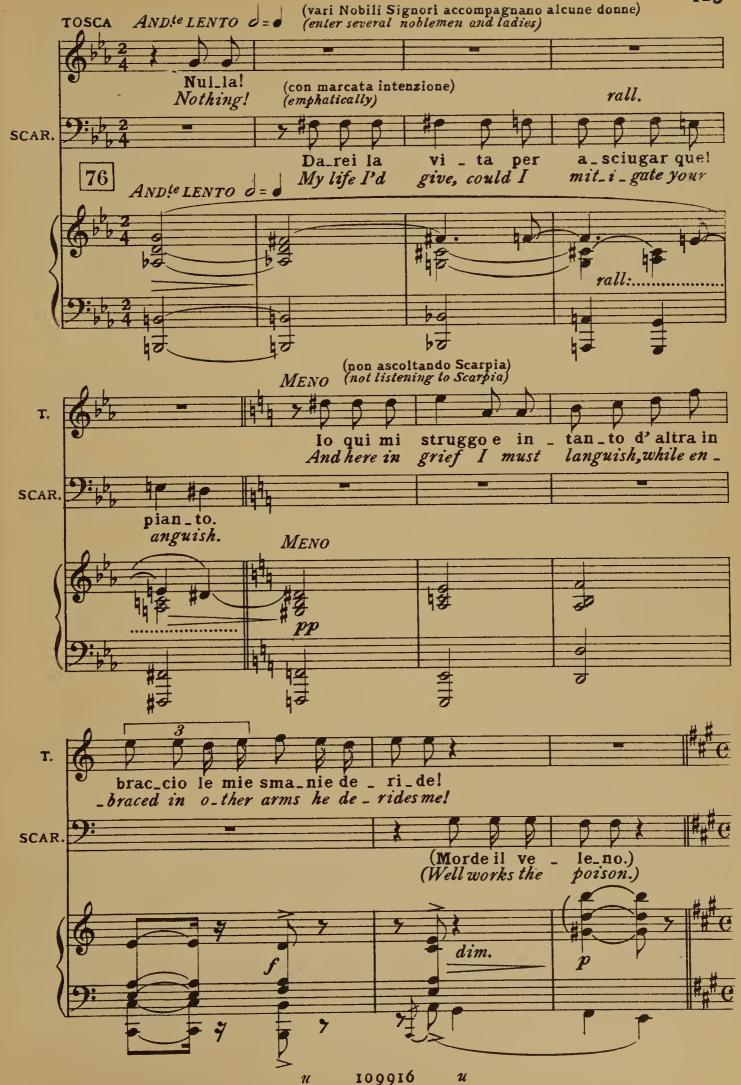


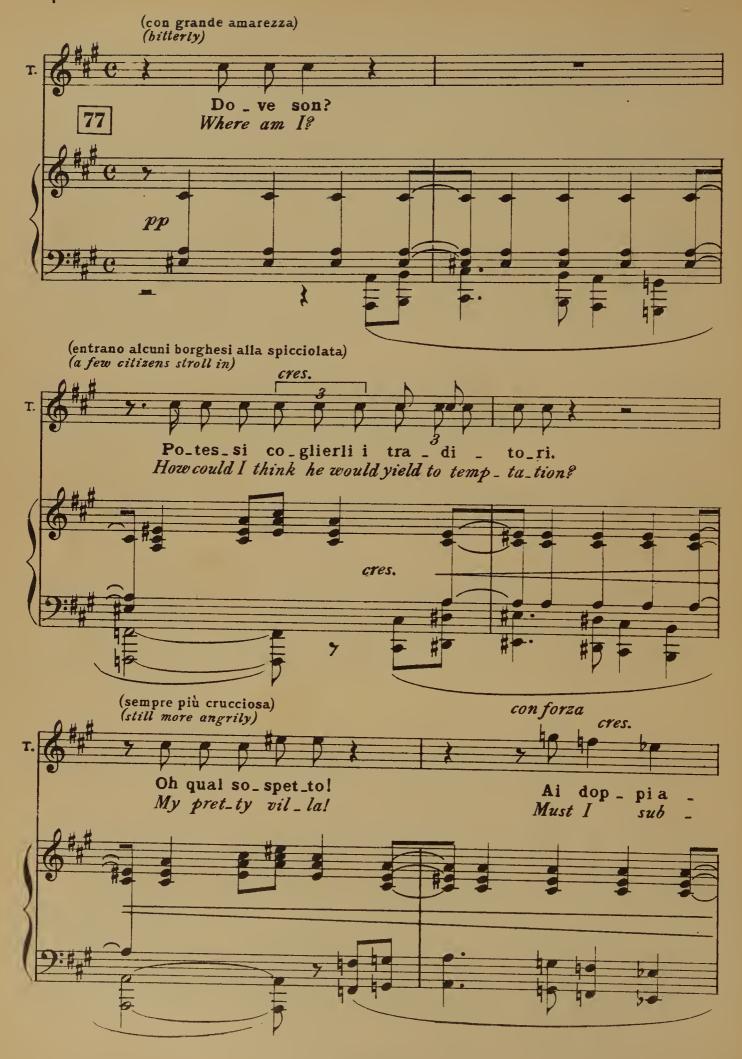


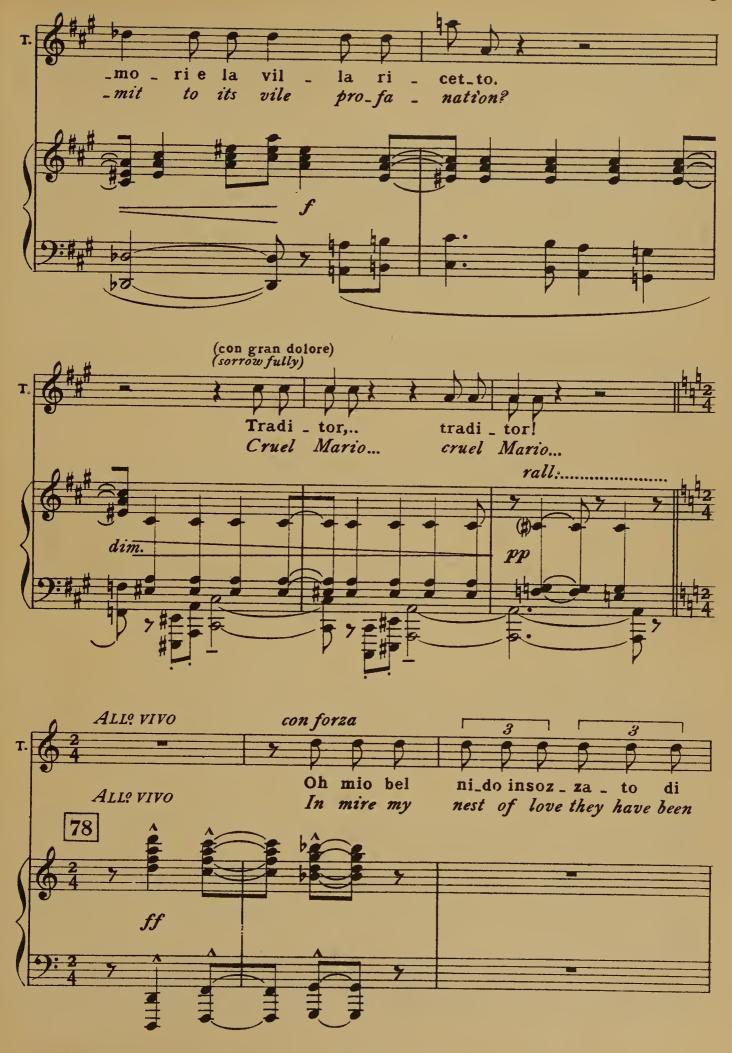


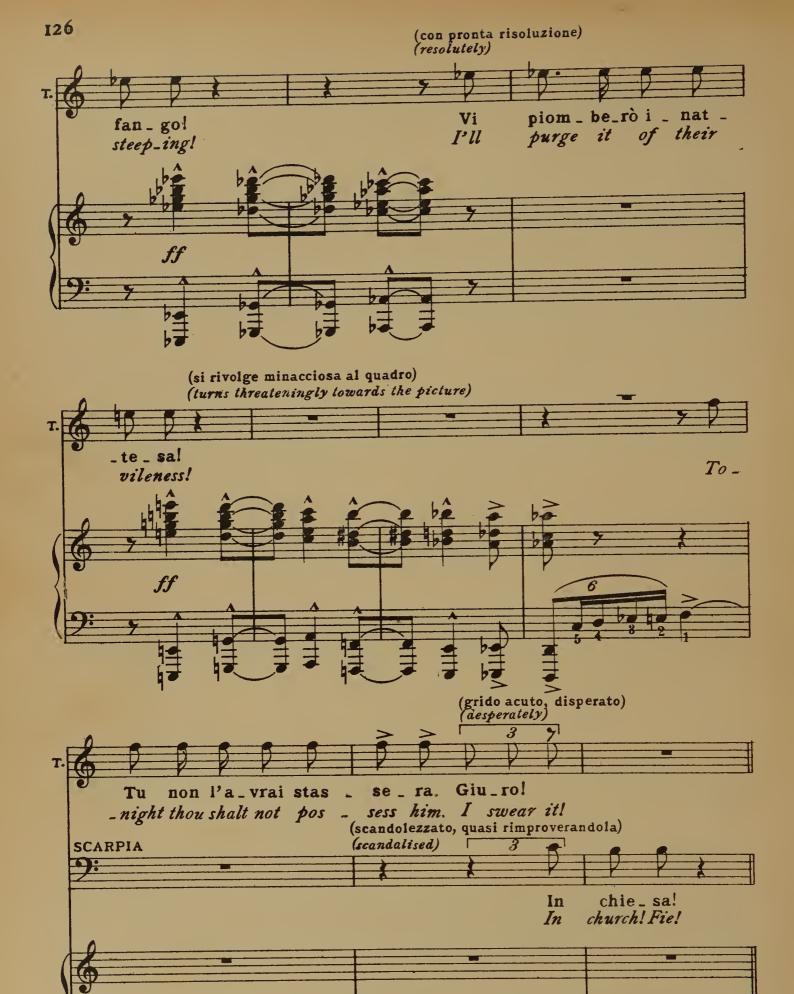










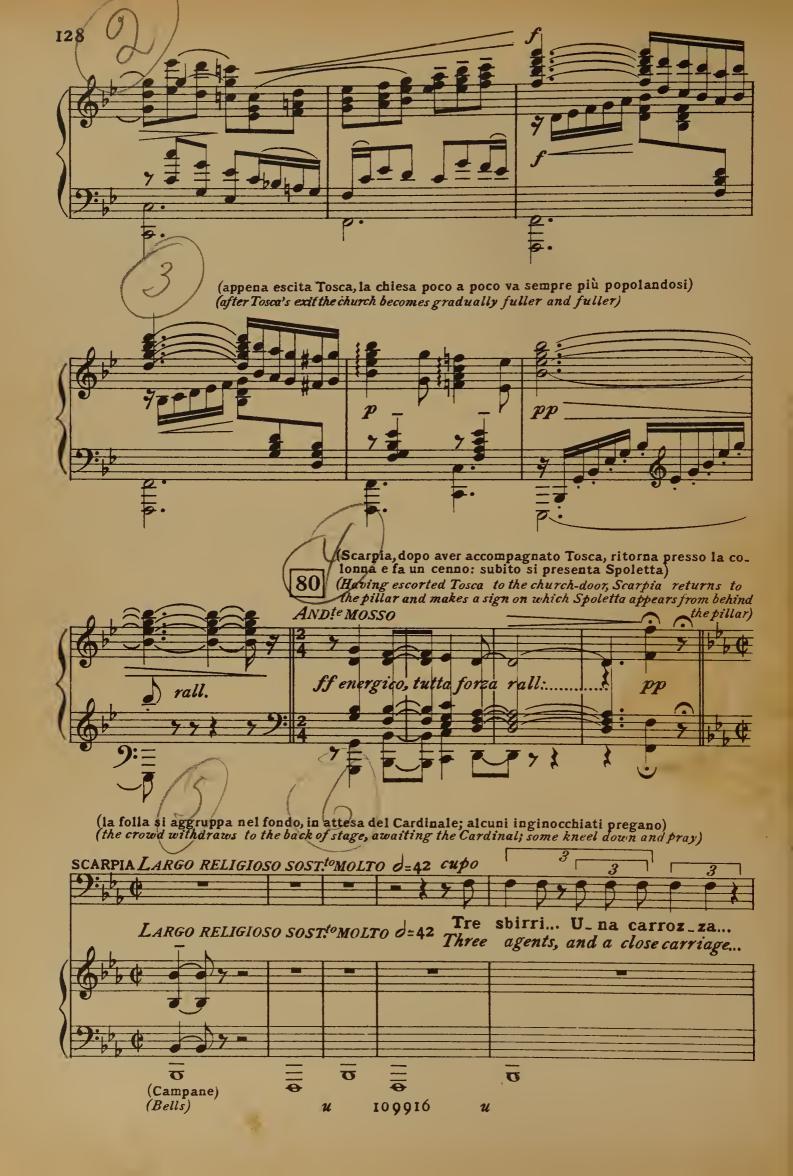




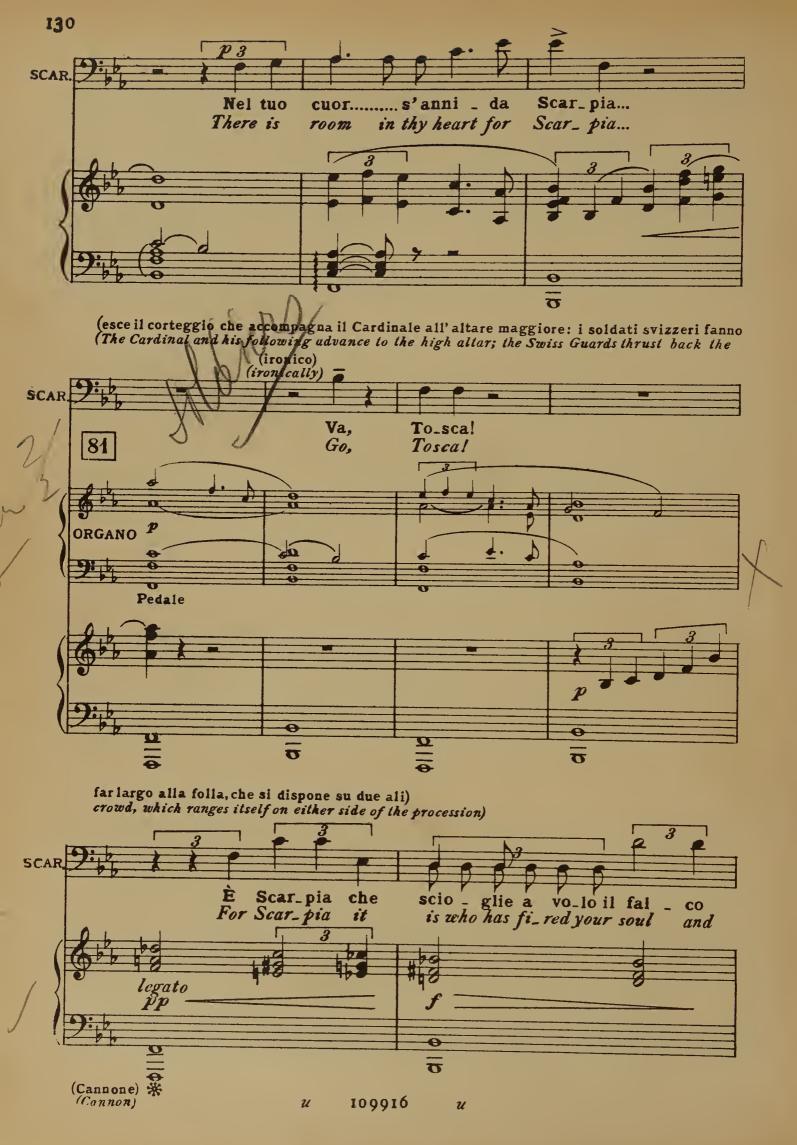


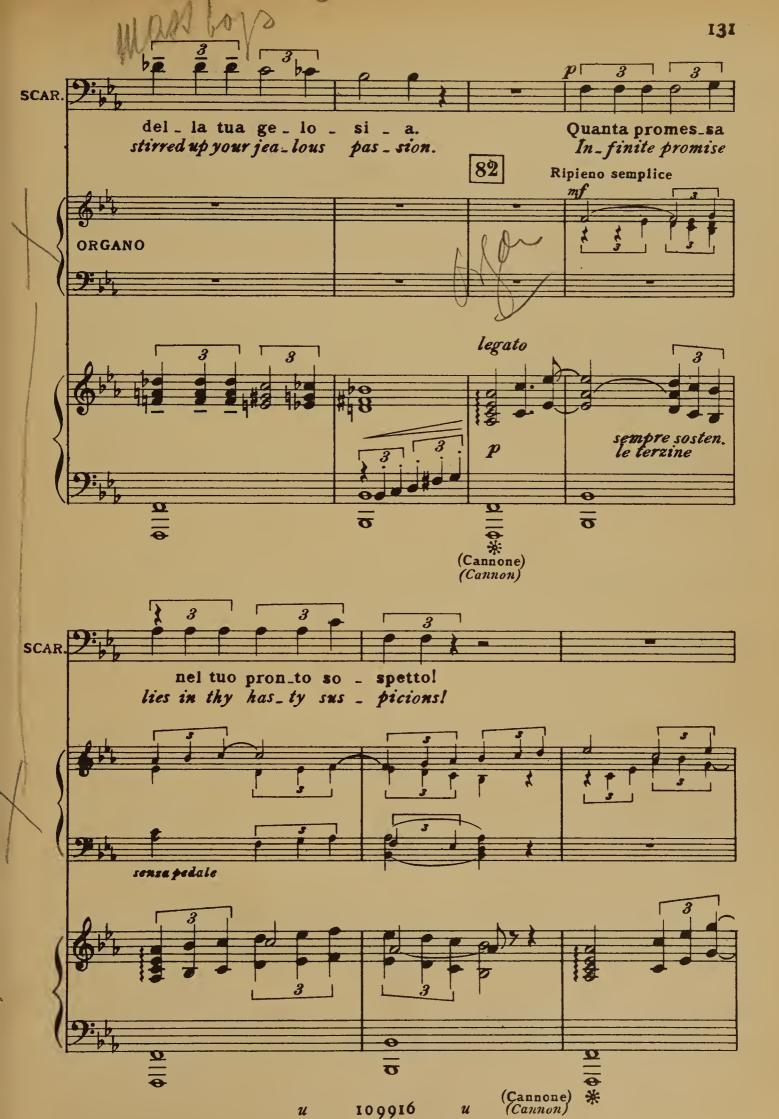
pagnandola all'uscita, fingendo di rassicurarla) the door, pretending to reassure her)

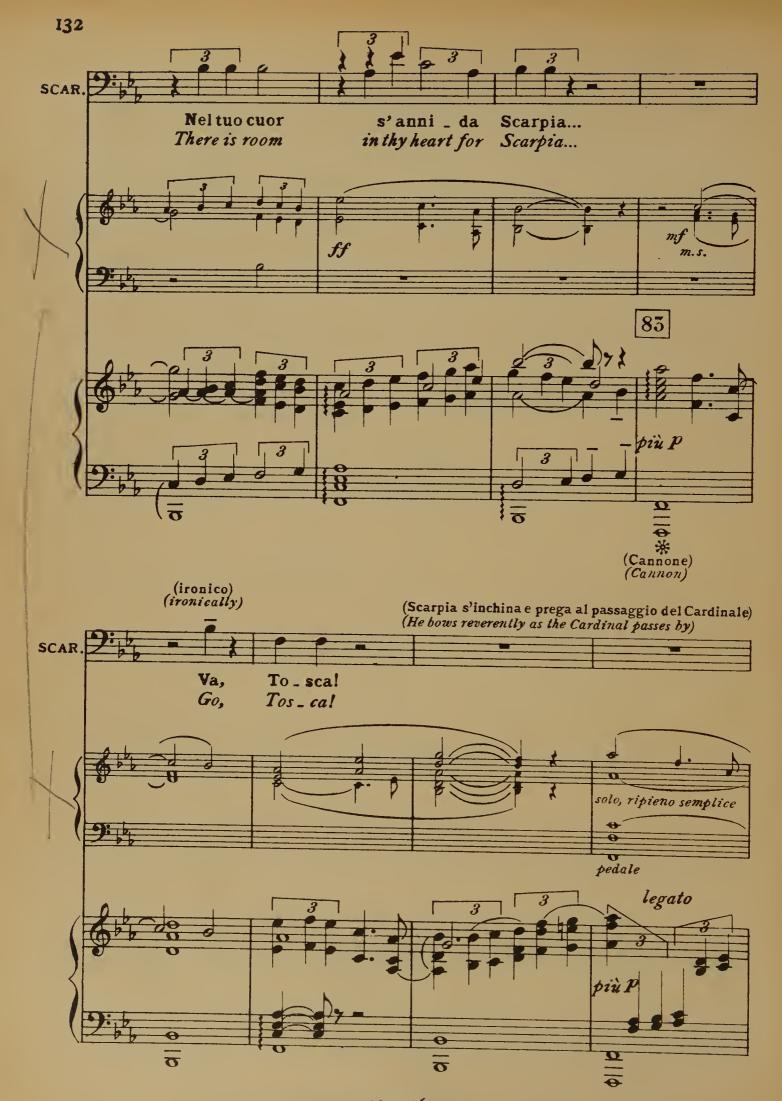


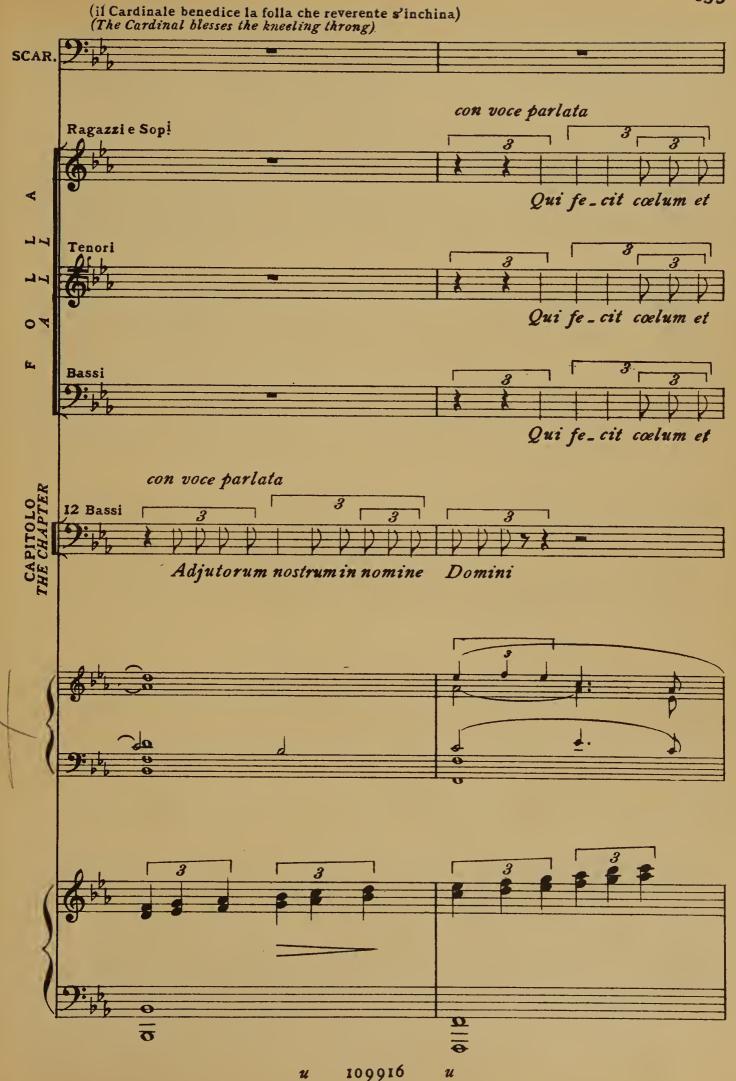


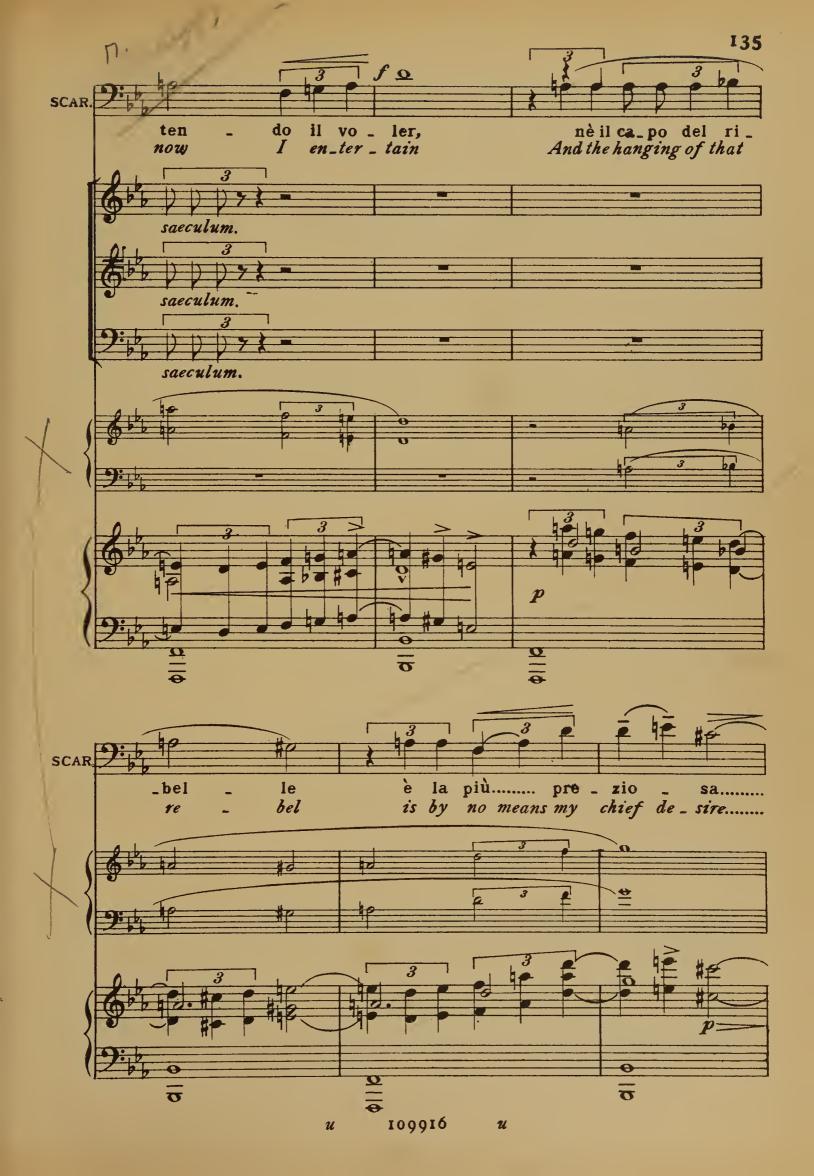




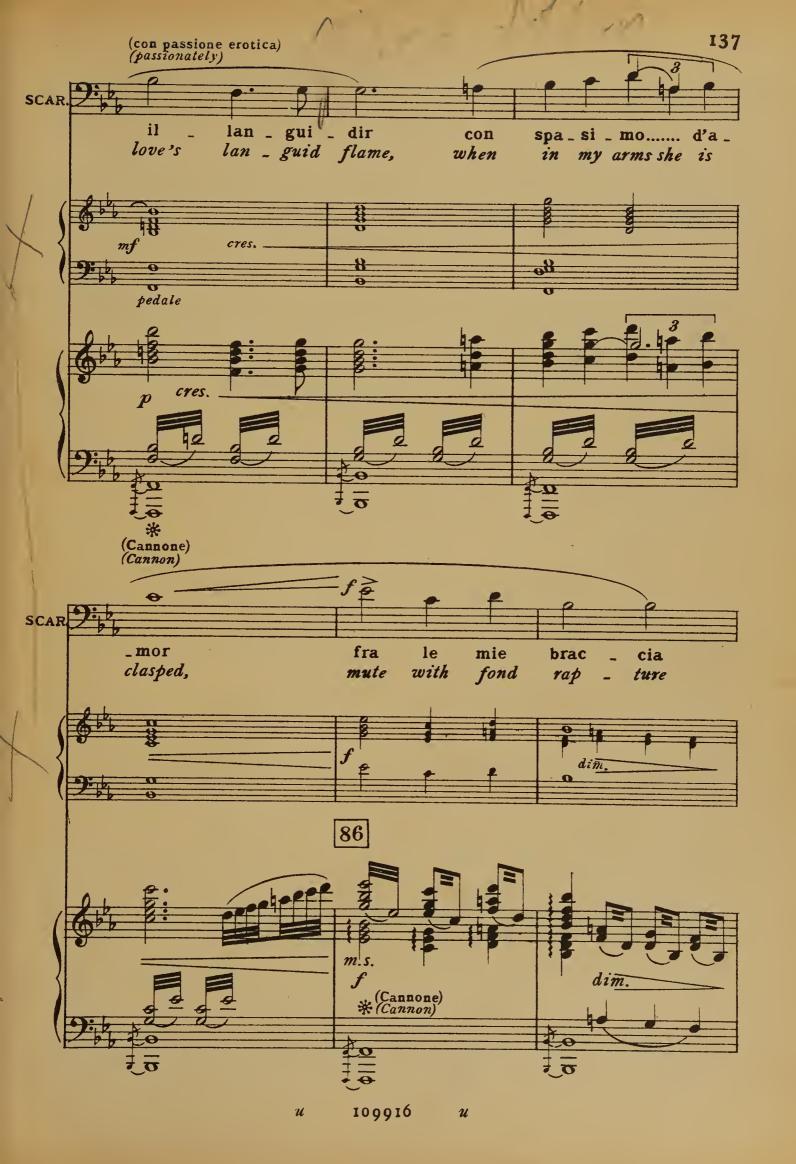




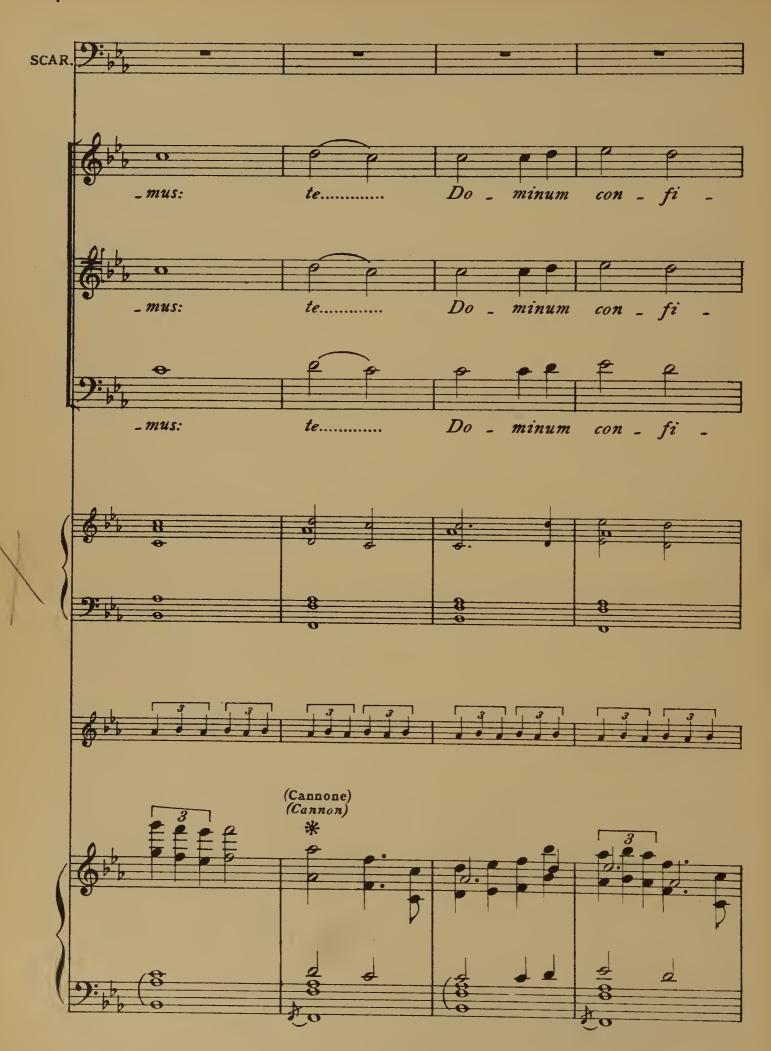


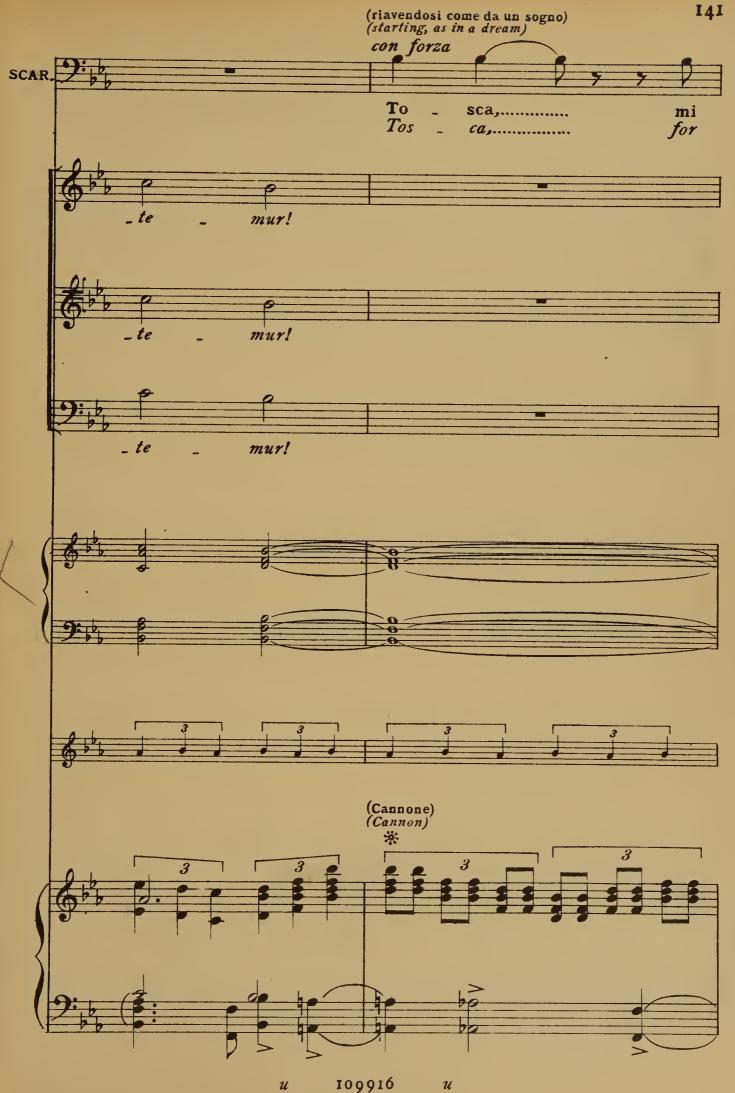


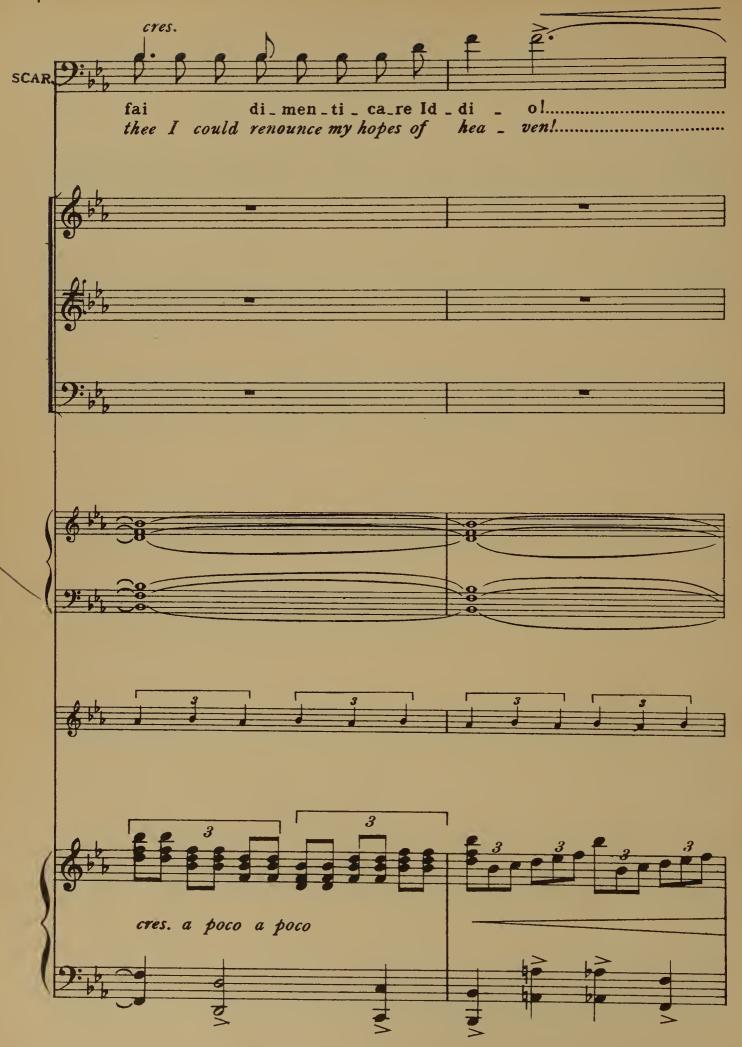




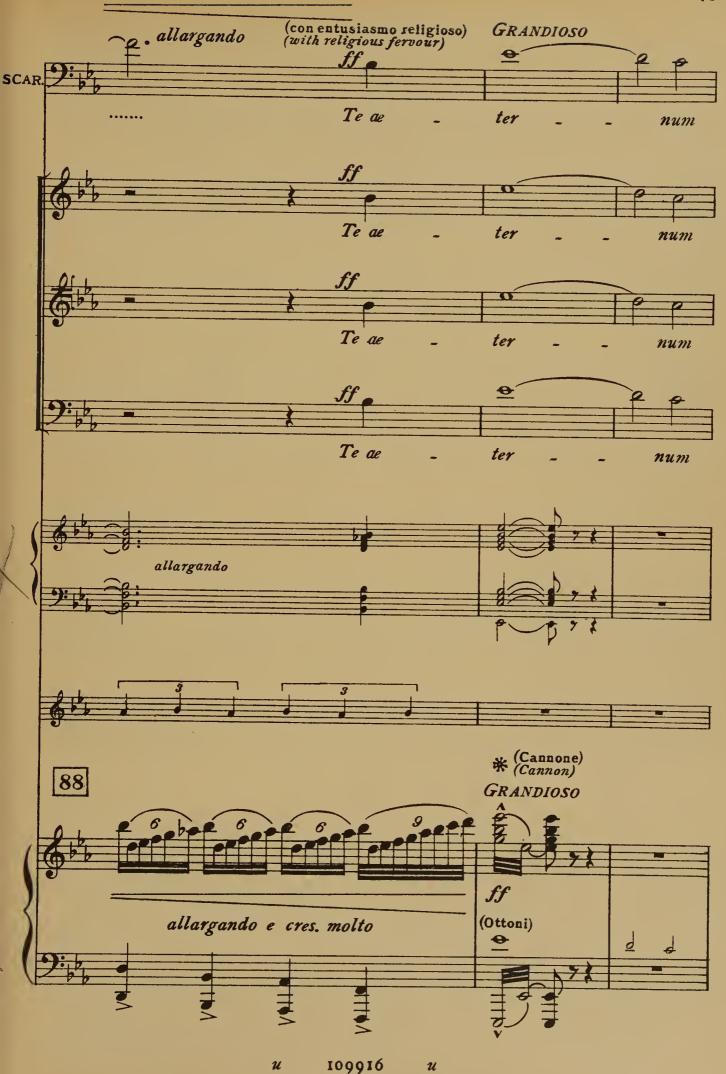


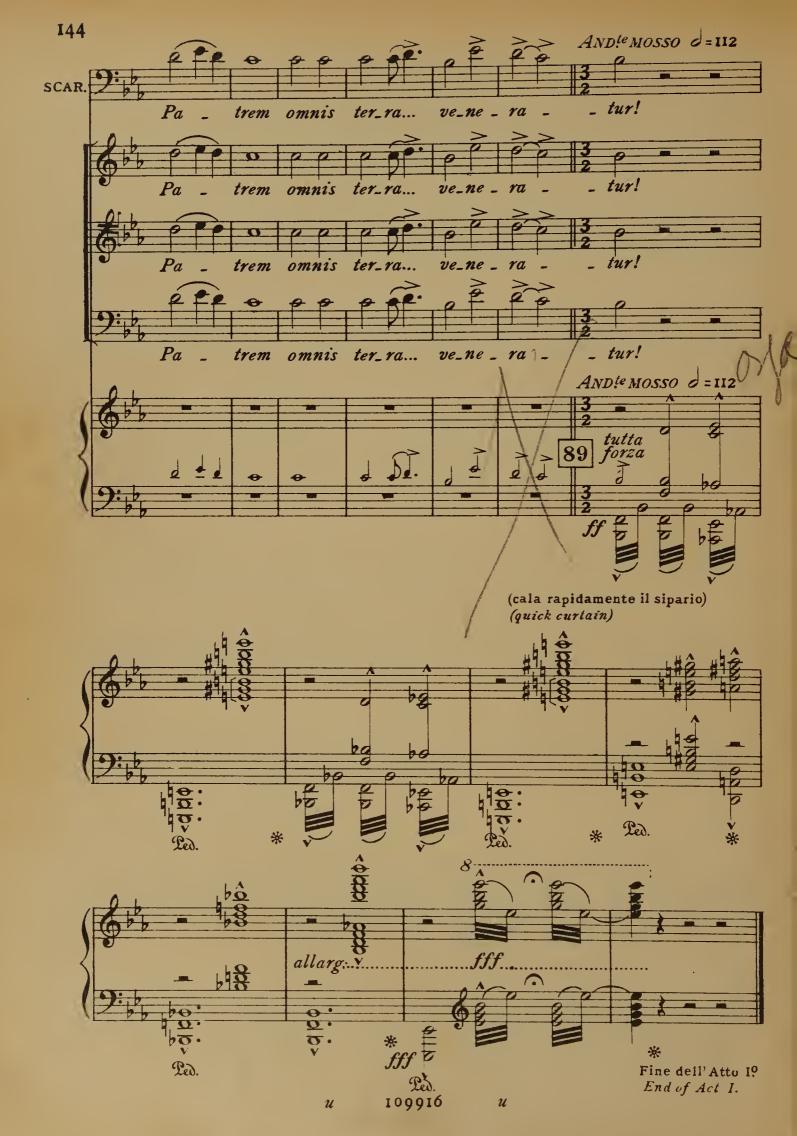






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ATTO SECONDO

ACT II.

PALAZZO FARNESE.

THE FARNESE PALACE.

La camera di Scarpia al piano superiore. Tavola imbandita - Un'ampia finestra verso il cortile del palazzo. È notte.

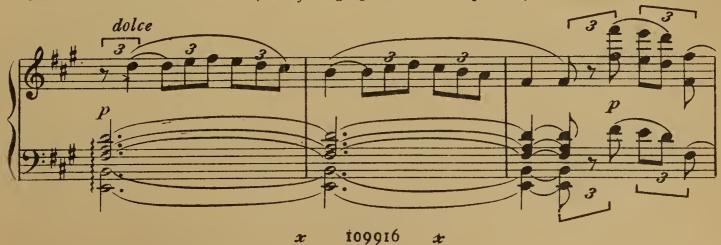
Scarpia's apartment, on an upper floor. The table laid. A large window overlooking the courtyard of the palace. Nightfall.

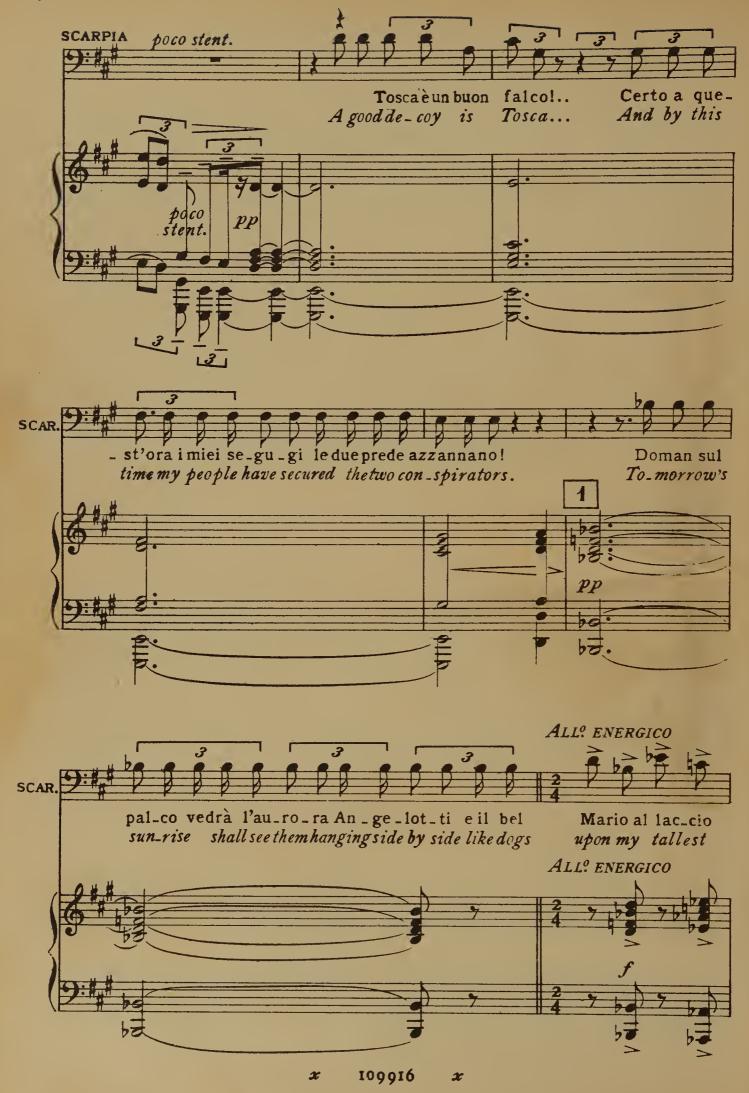


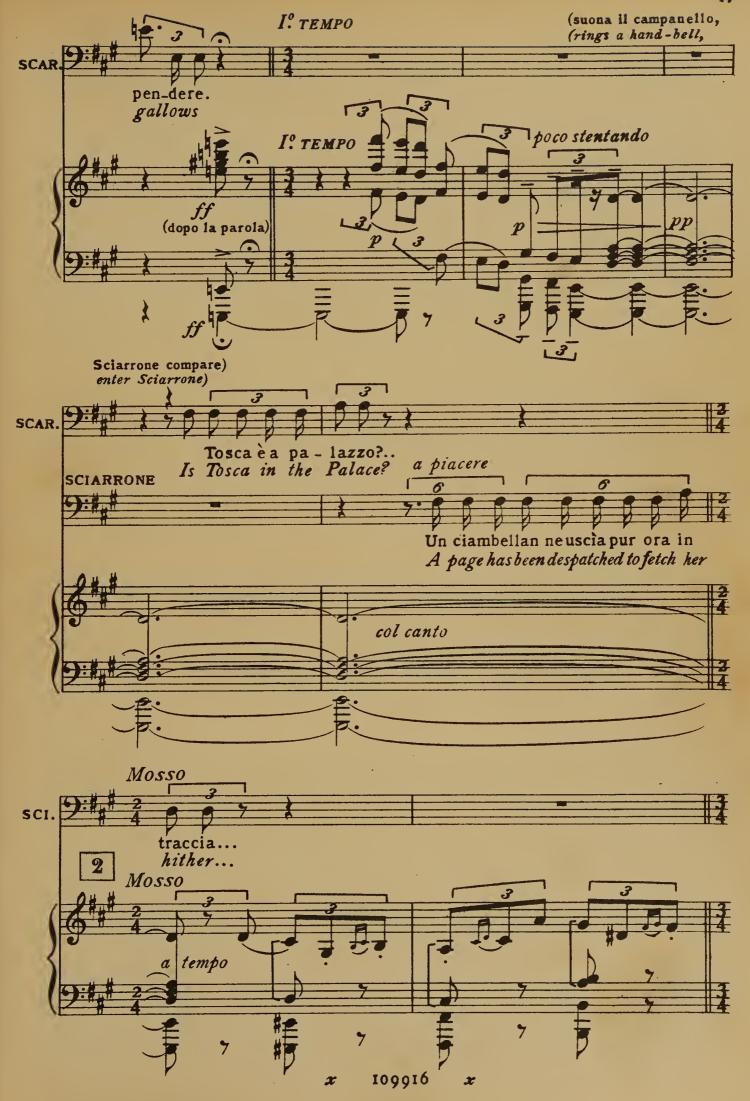
(Scarpia è seduto alla tavola e vi cena-Interrompe a tratti la cena per ri-(Scar. is supping at the table, and breaking off at intervals to reflect. From



flettere - Trae di tasca l'orologio e nell'atteggiamento e nella irrequietezza tradisce un'ansia febbrile) time to time he looks at his watch, manifesting agitation and disquietude)

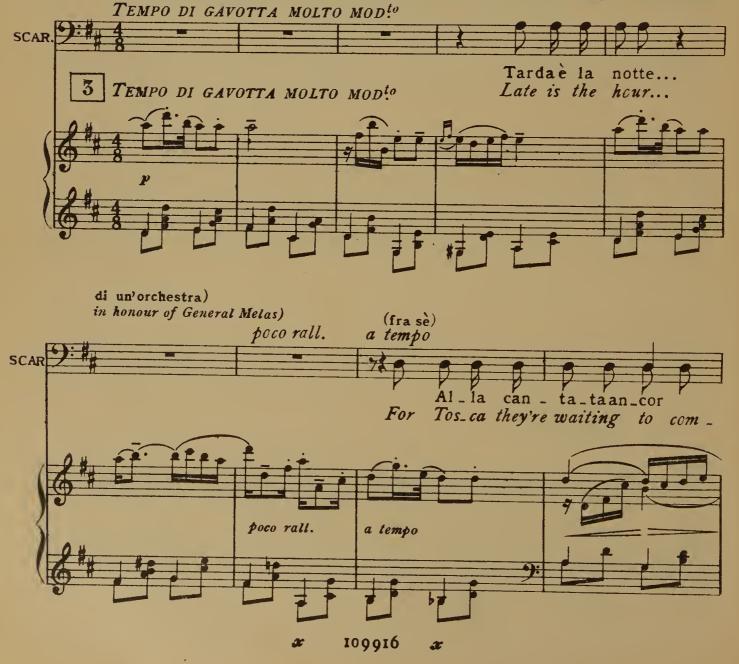


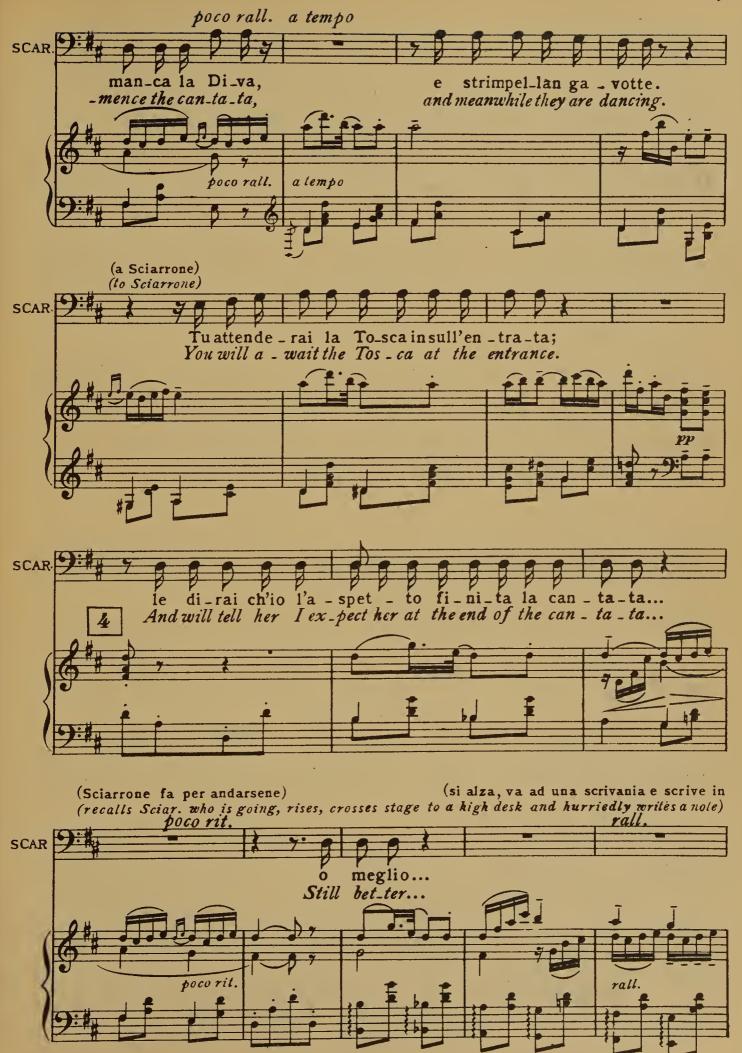


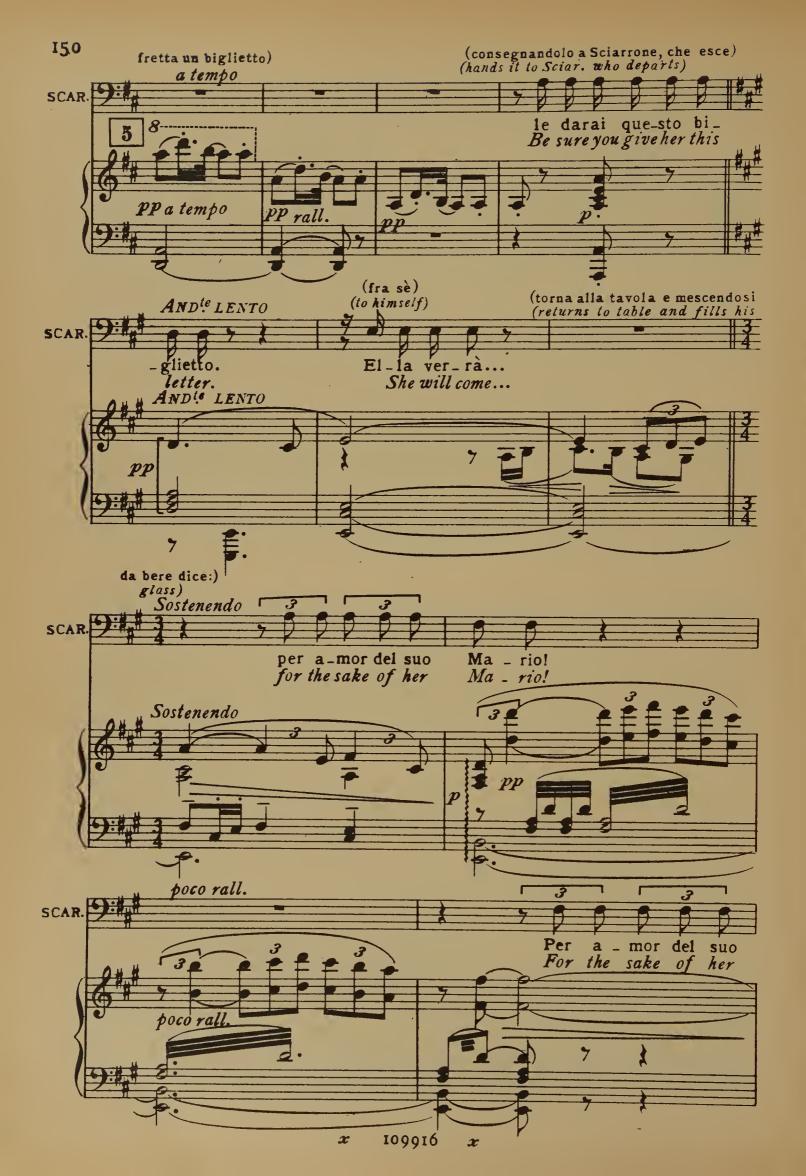


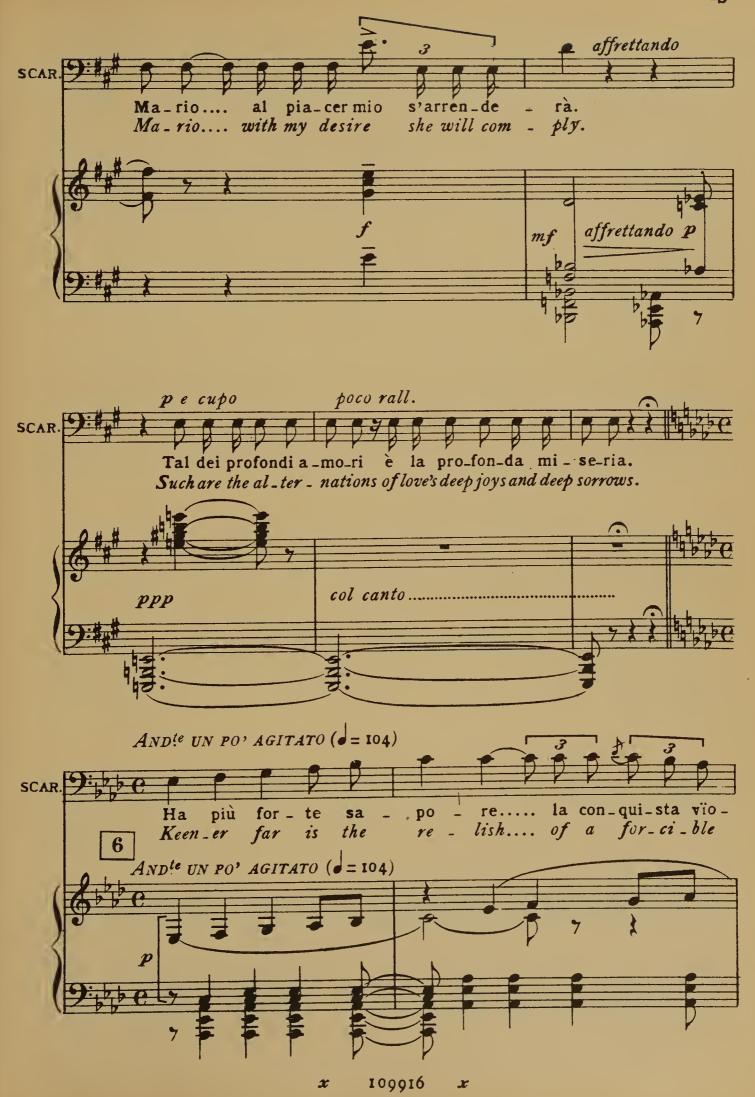


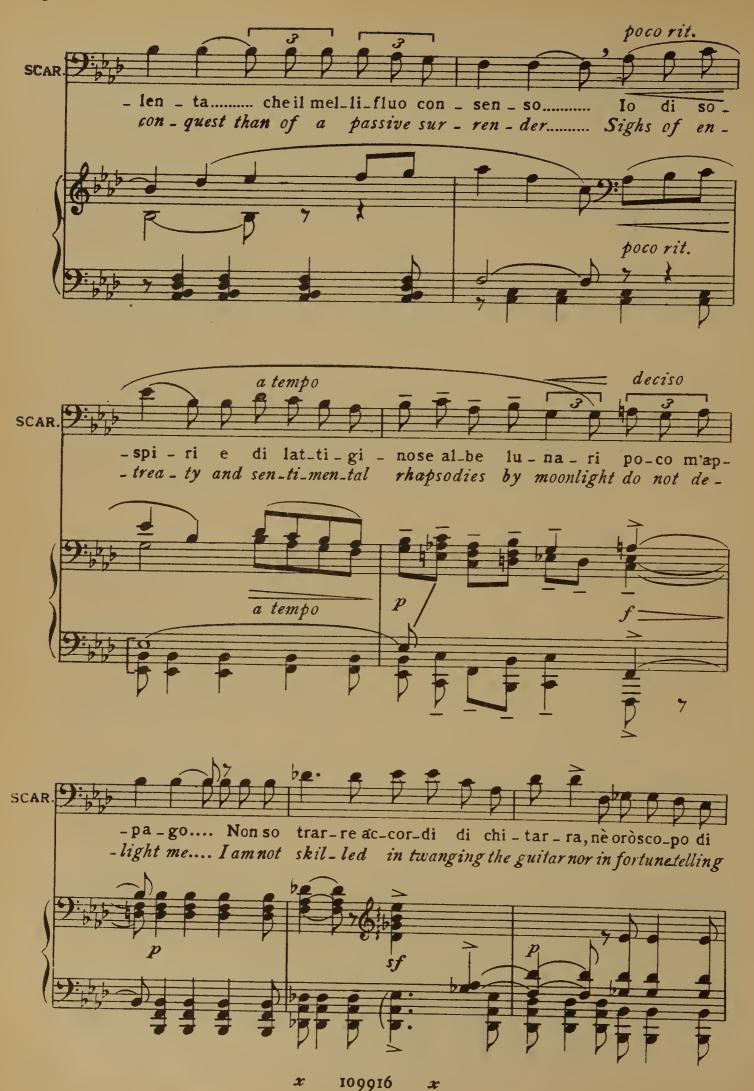
(dal piano inferiore, ove la Regina dà una grande festa in onore di Melas, si ode il suonare (An orchestra is audible in the lower floor, where Queen Caroline is giving an entertainment

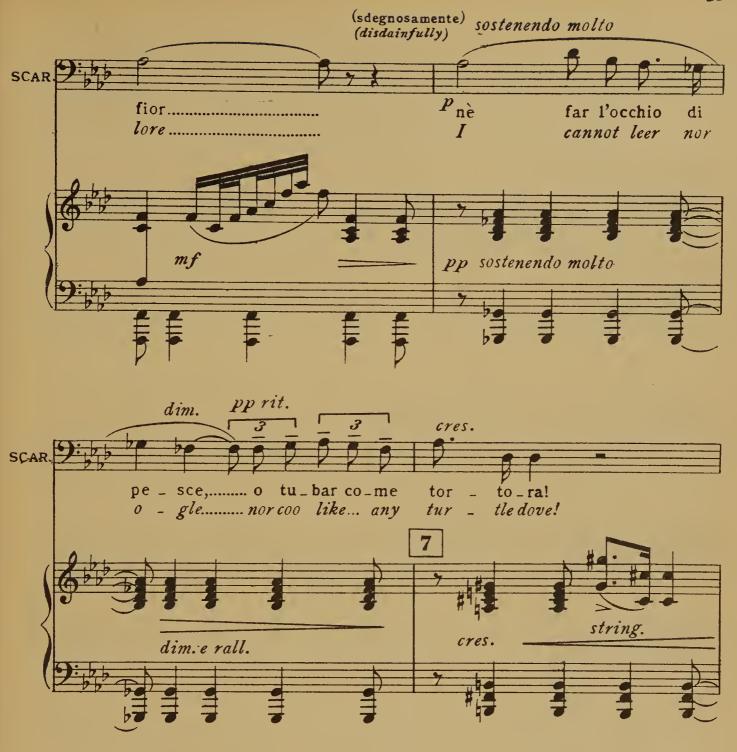




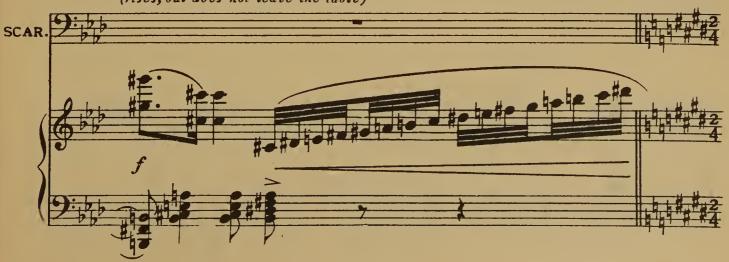




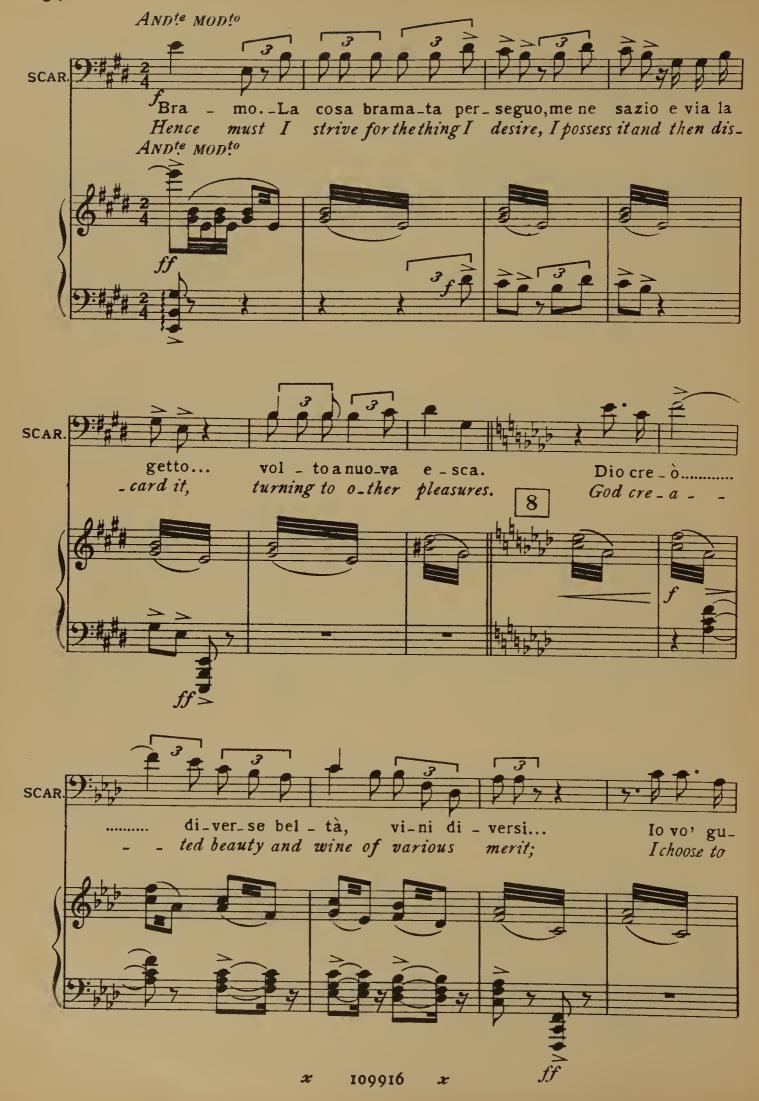




(s'alza, ma non s'allontana dalla tavola)
(rises, but does not leave the table)



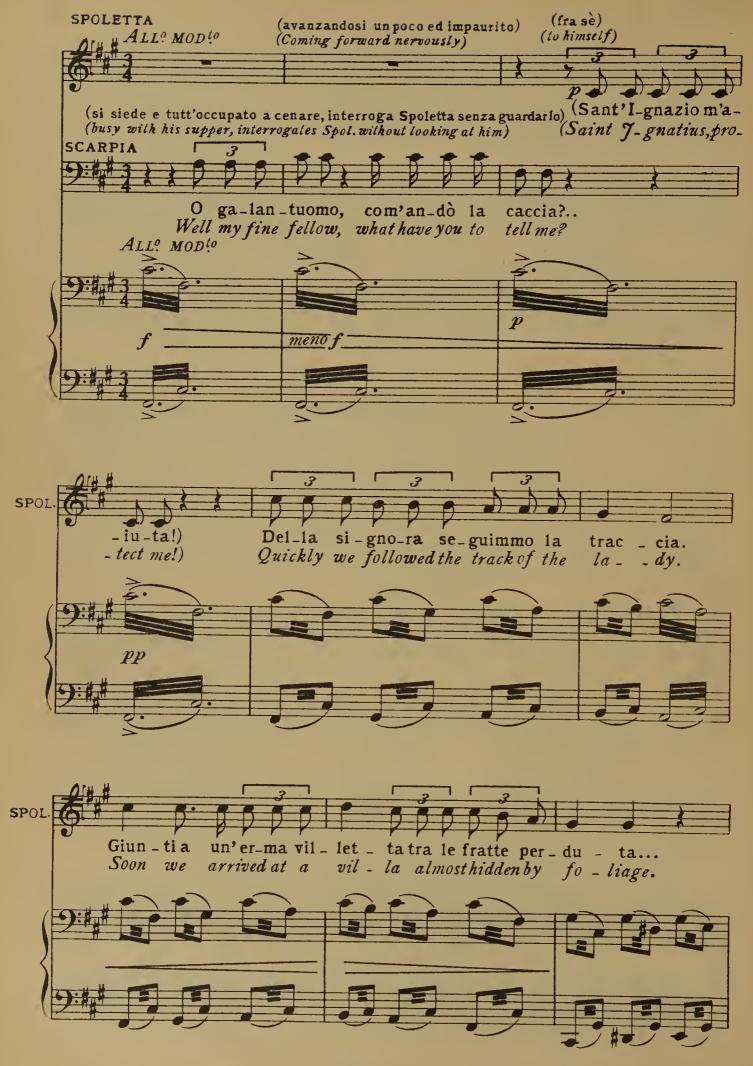
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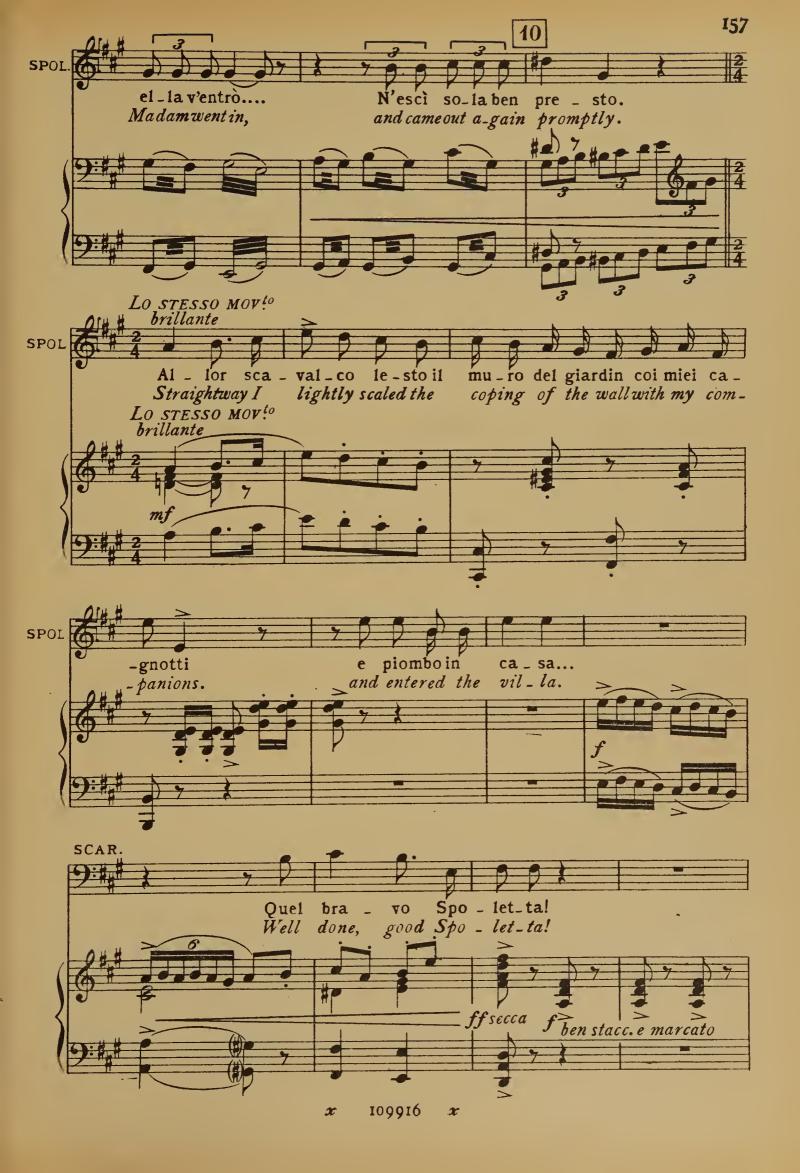


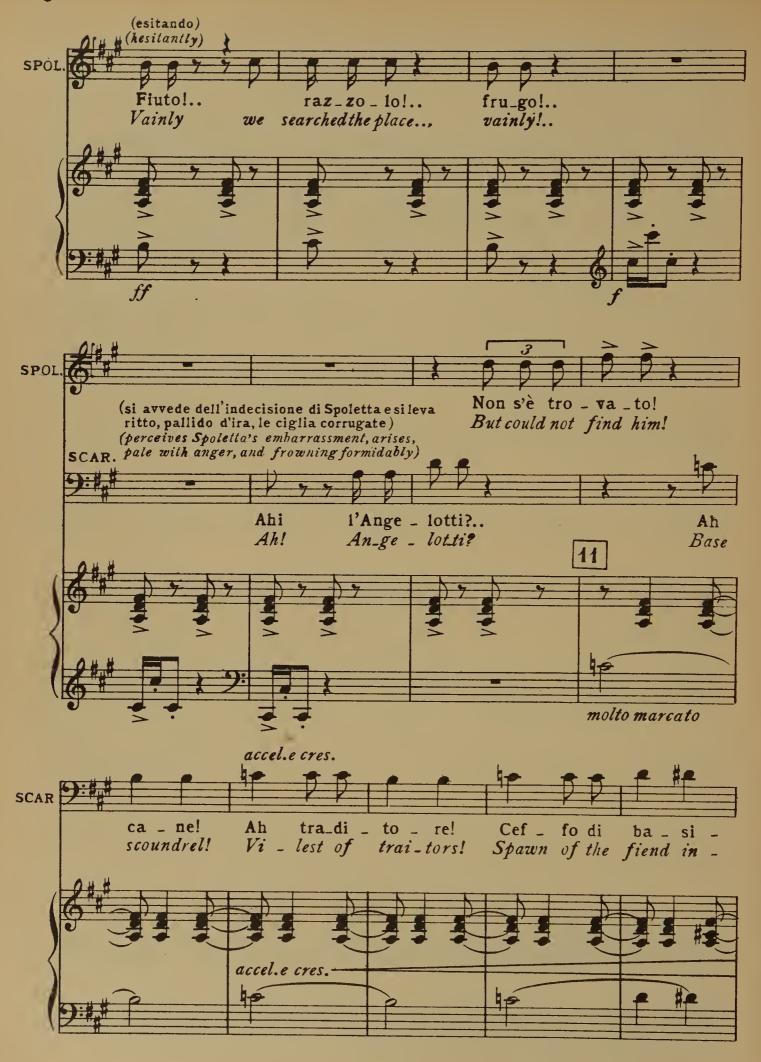


mare Spoletta, che accompagna nella sala, rimanendo poi presso la porta del fondo) Spol., who returns with him, and takes up his stand near the door C)



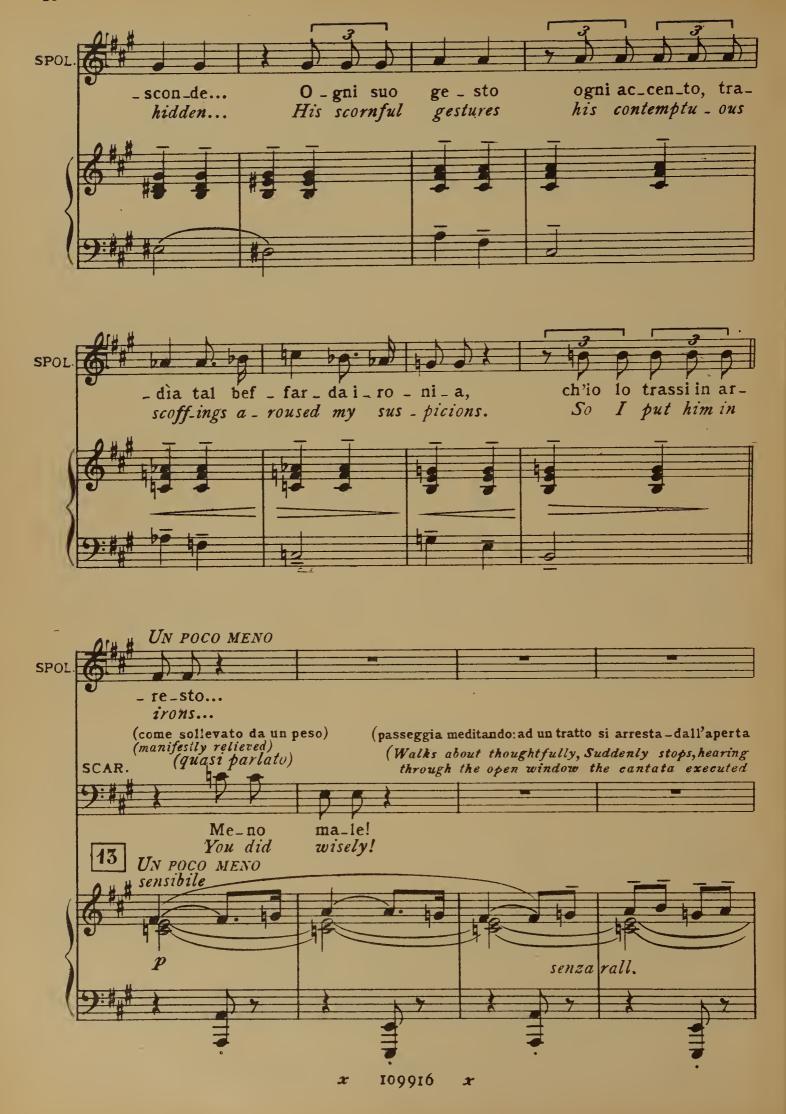


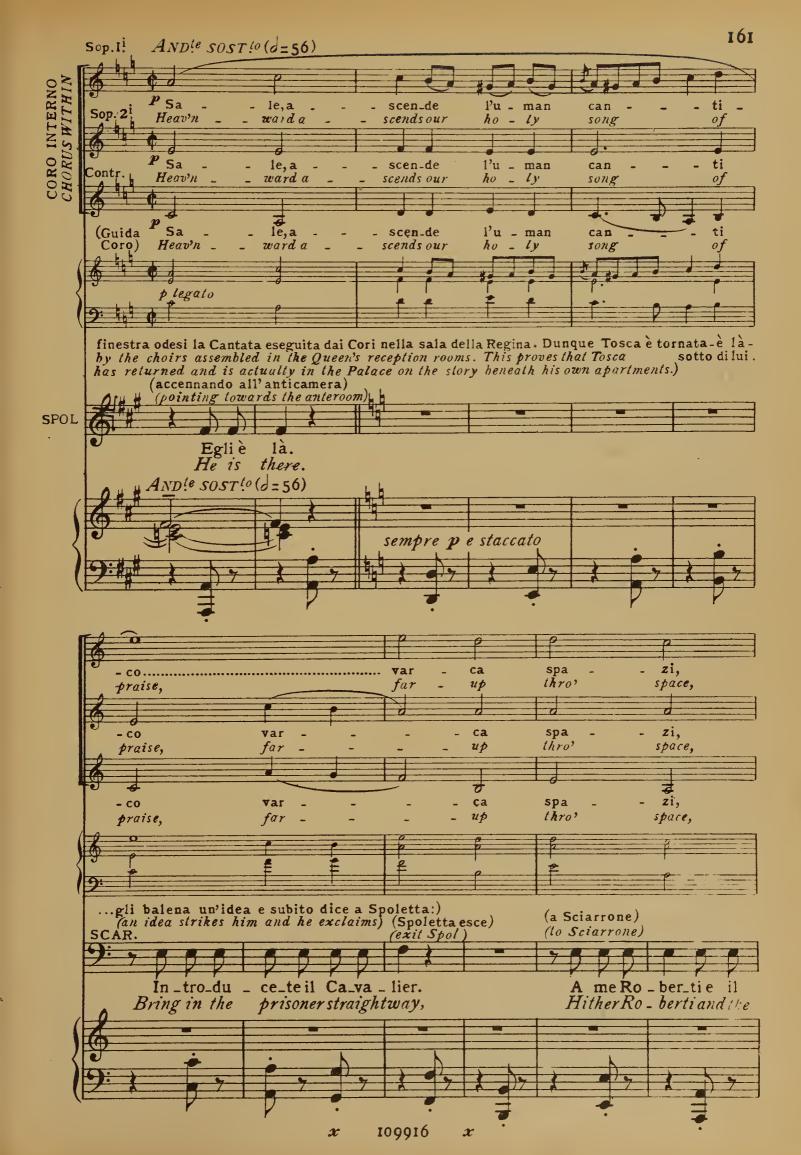


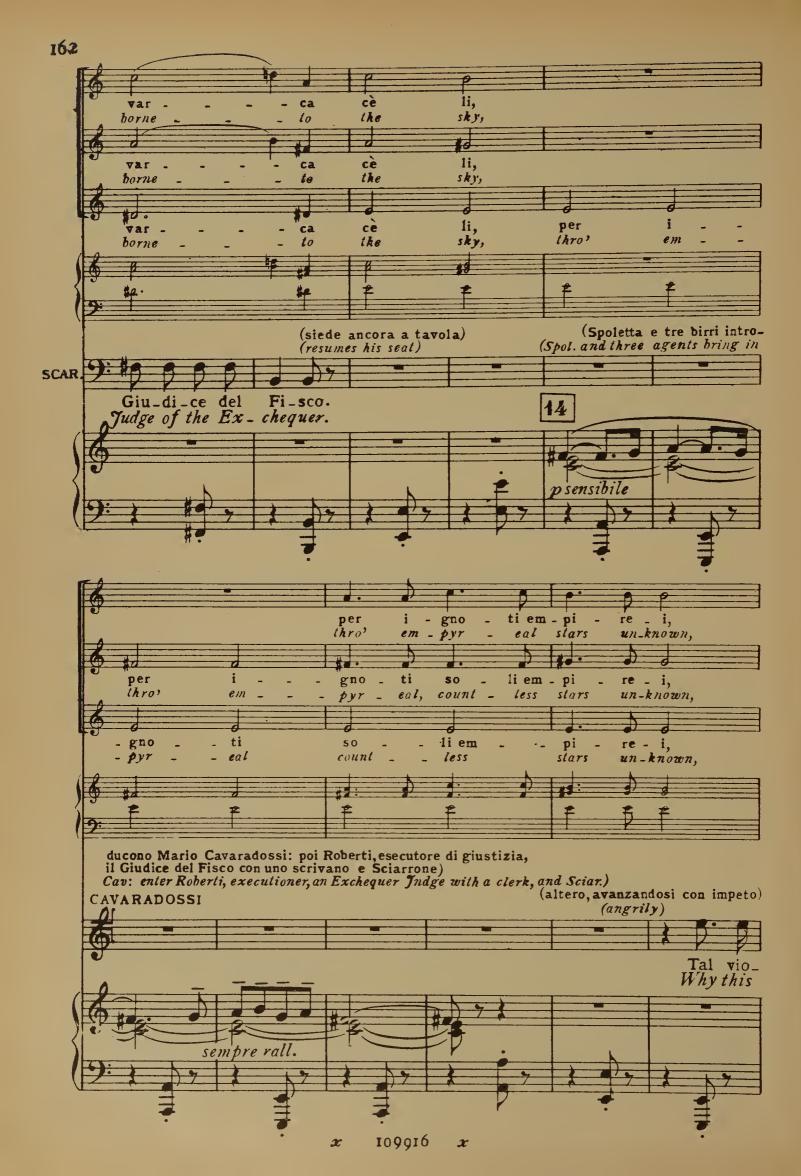


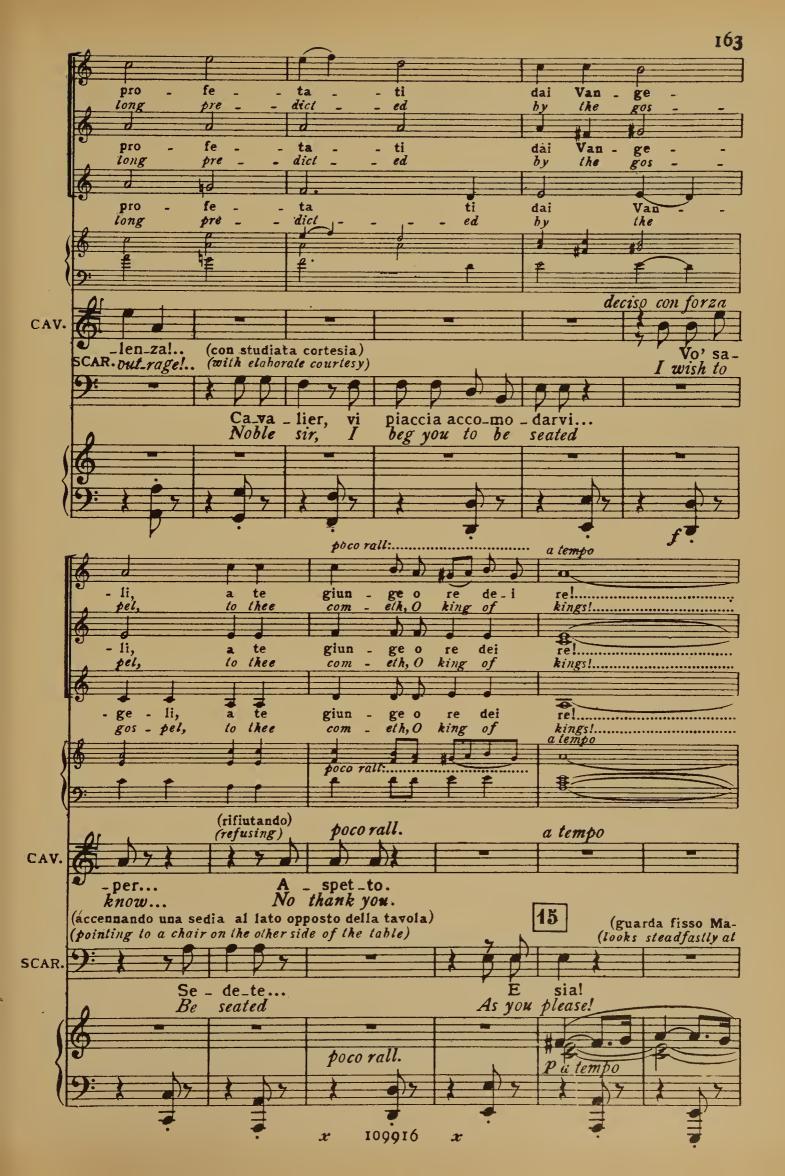


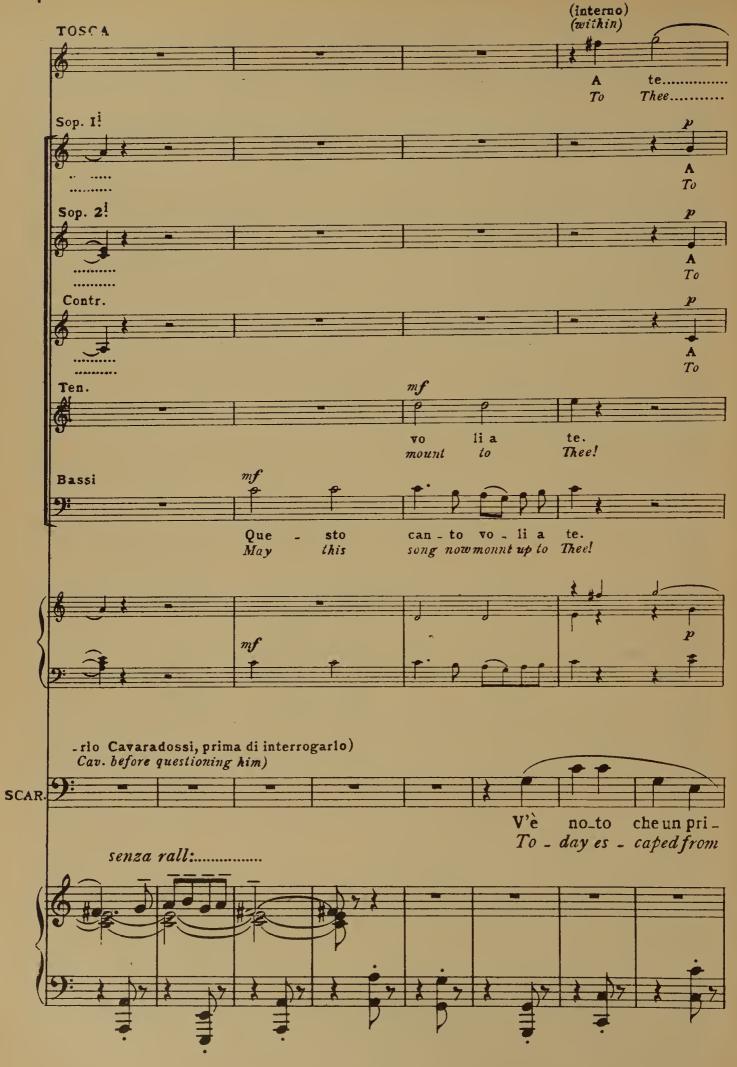




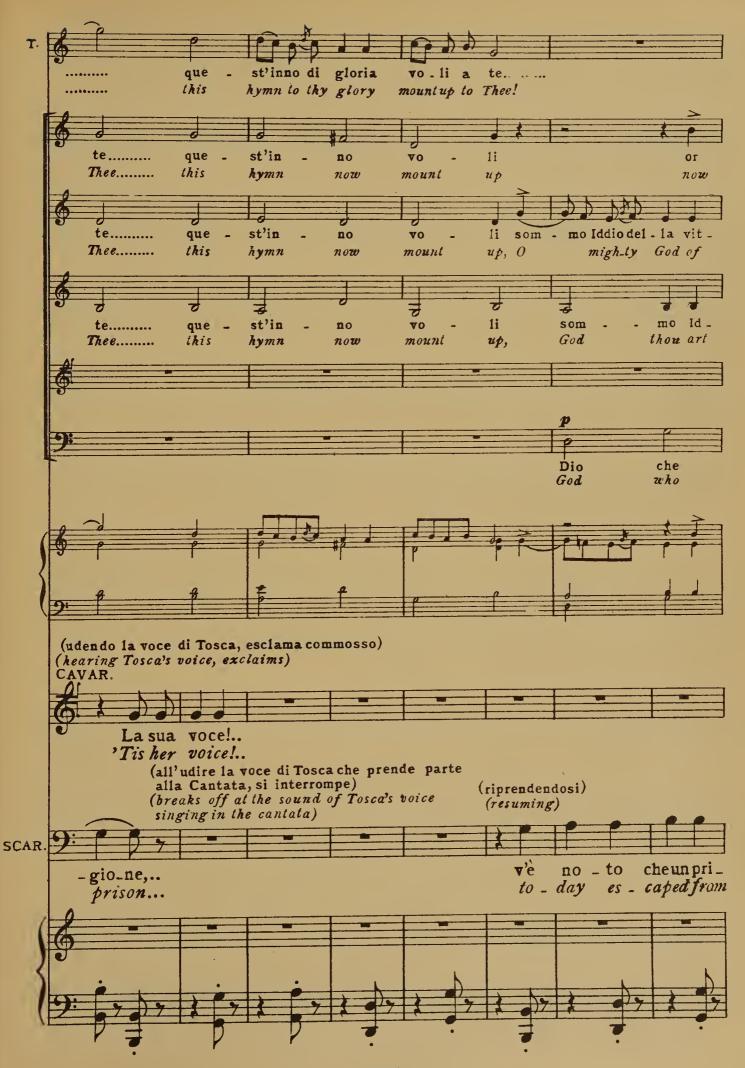






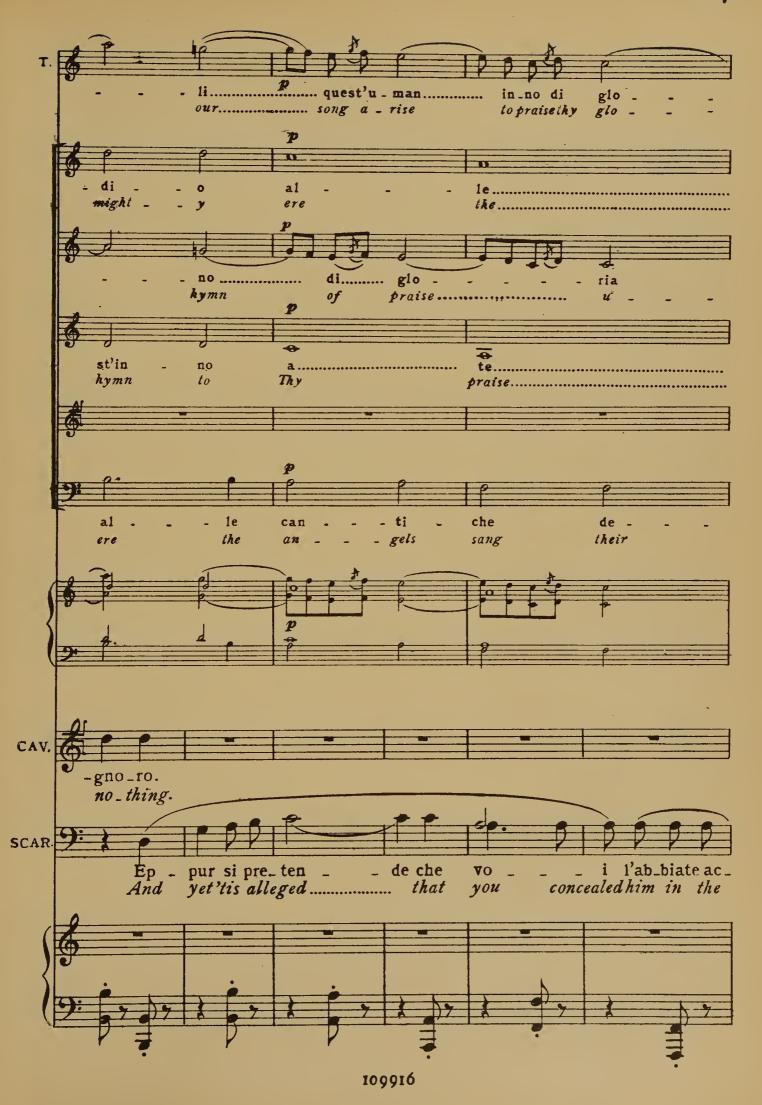


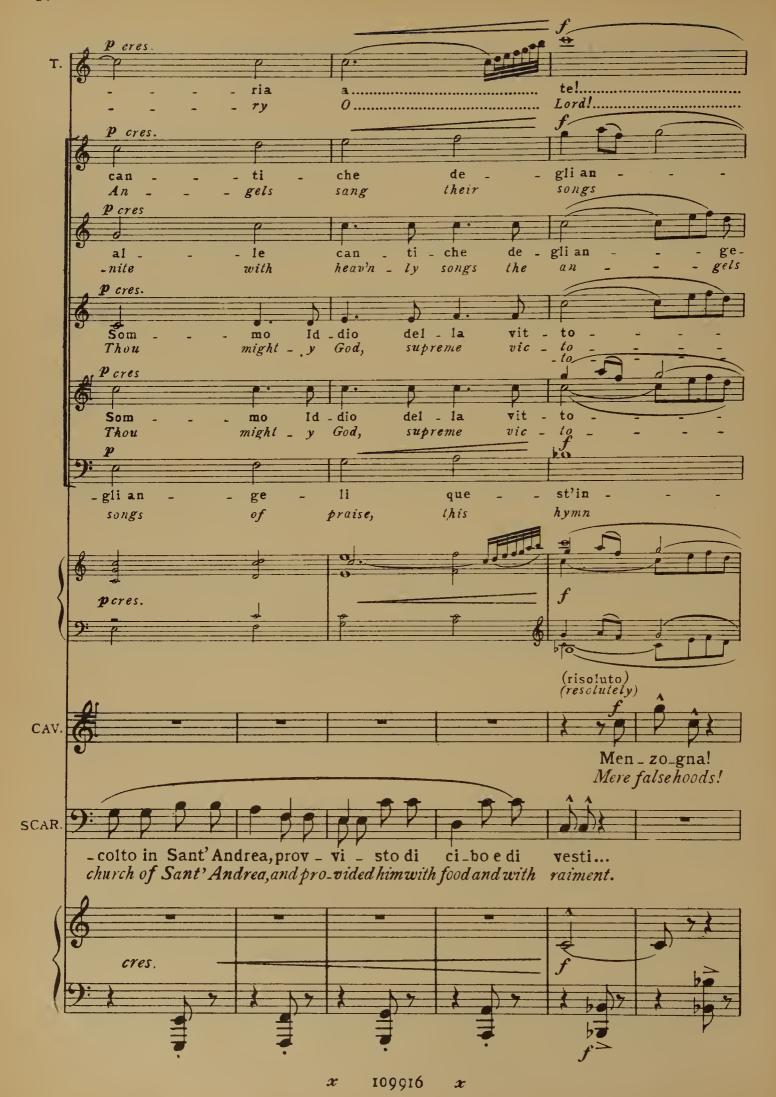
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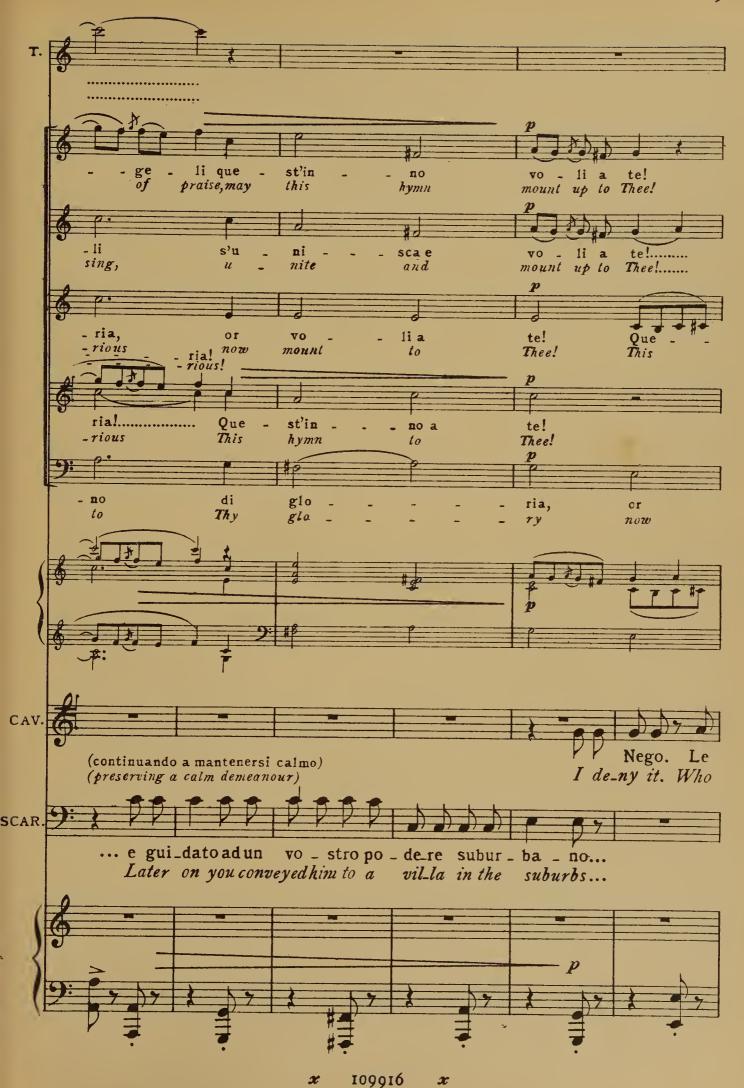


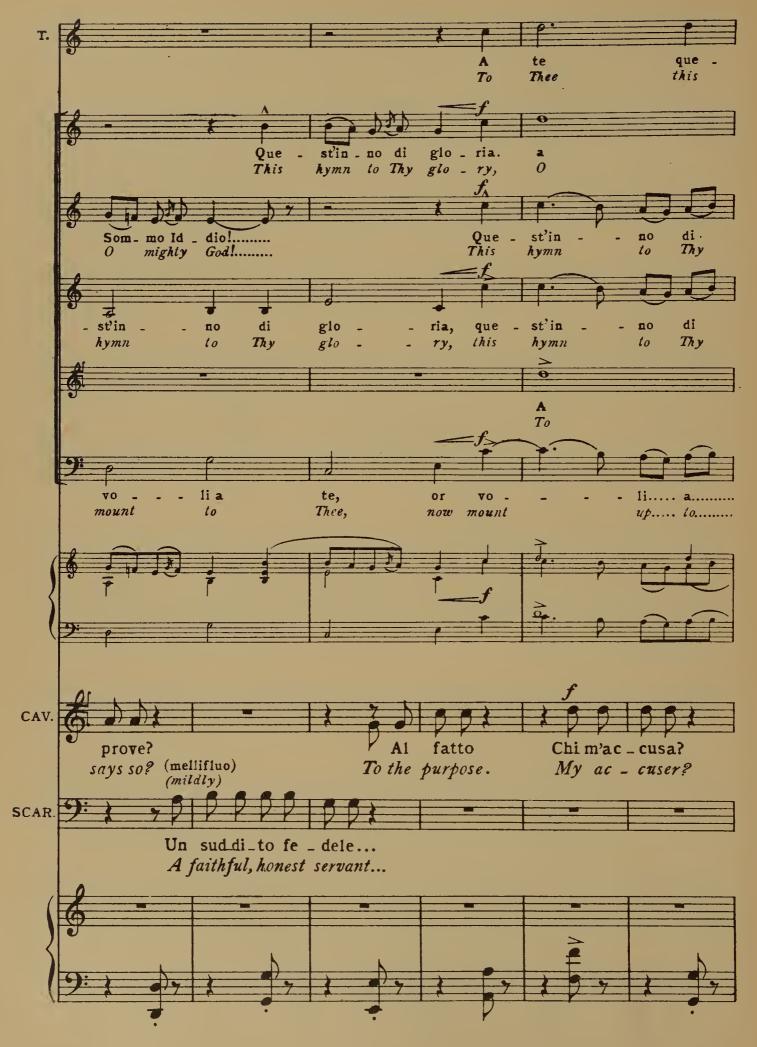
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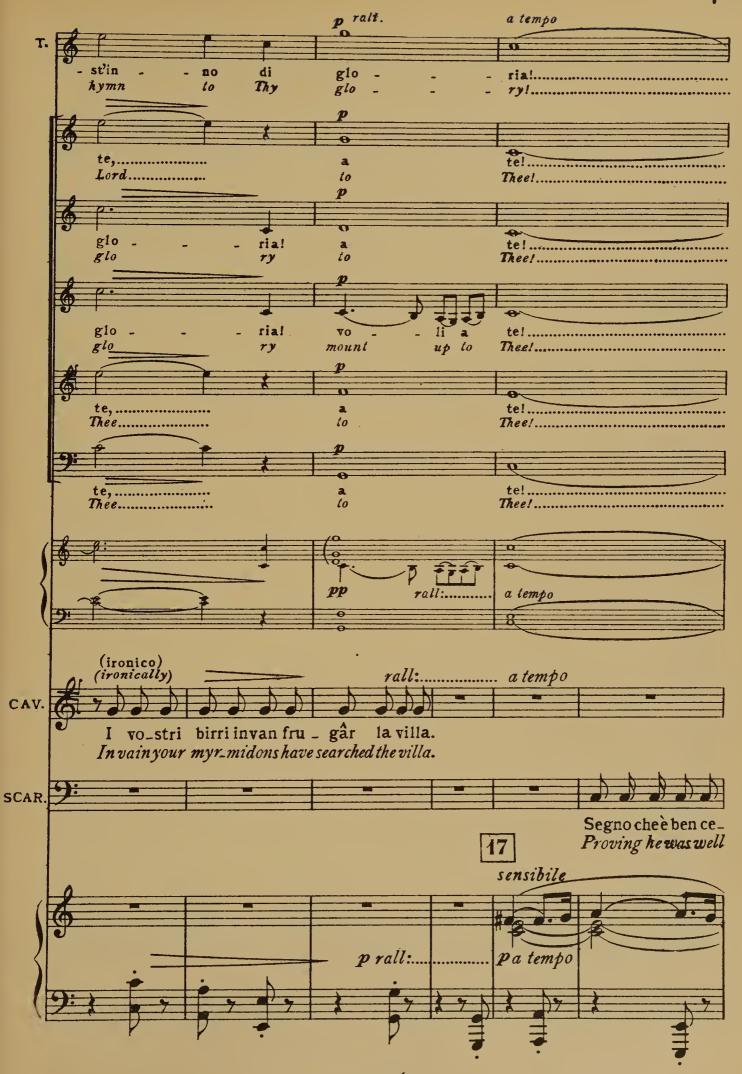


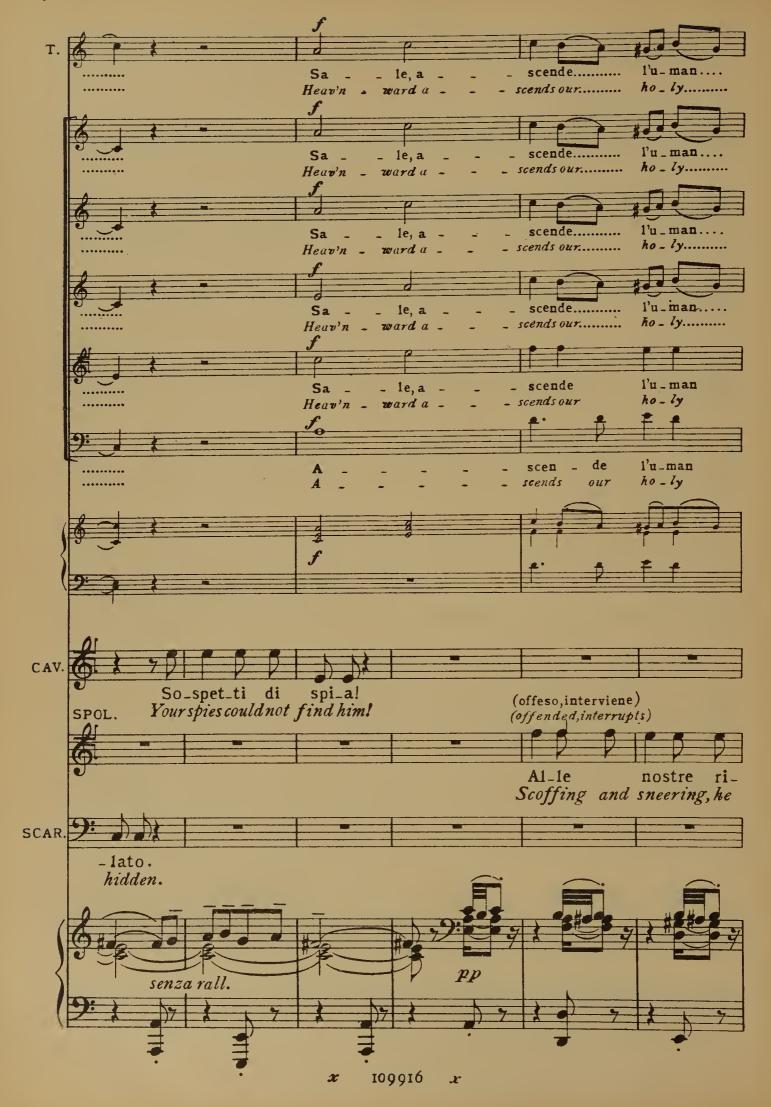


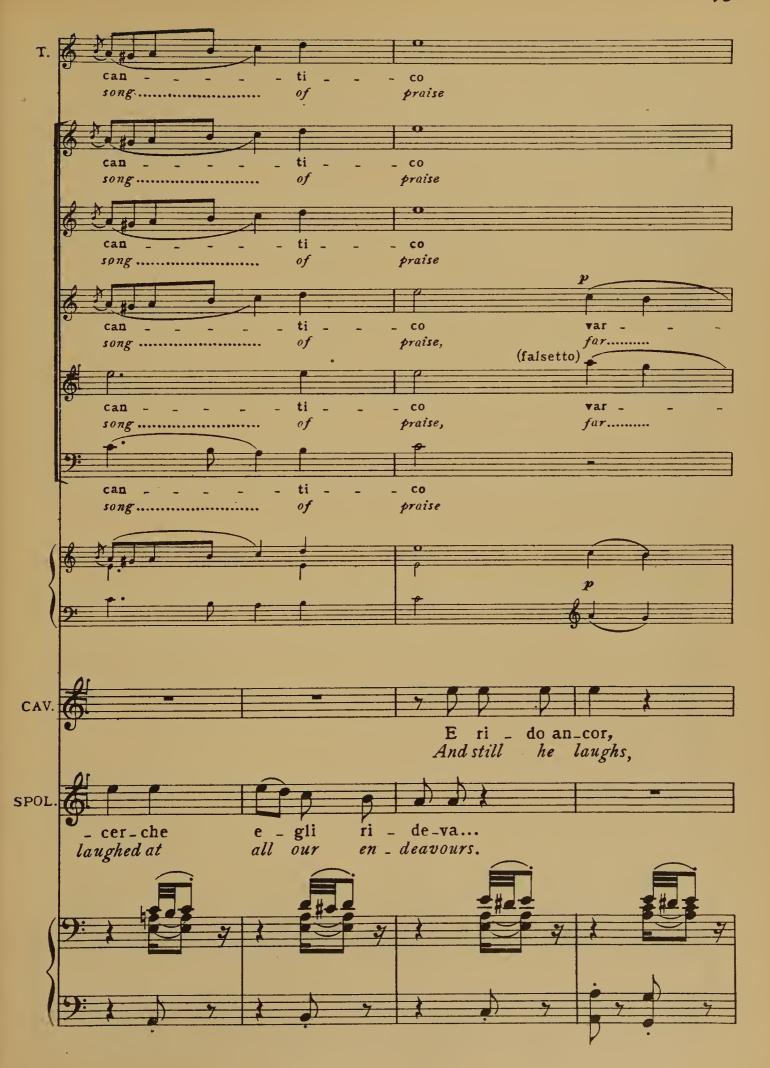


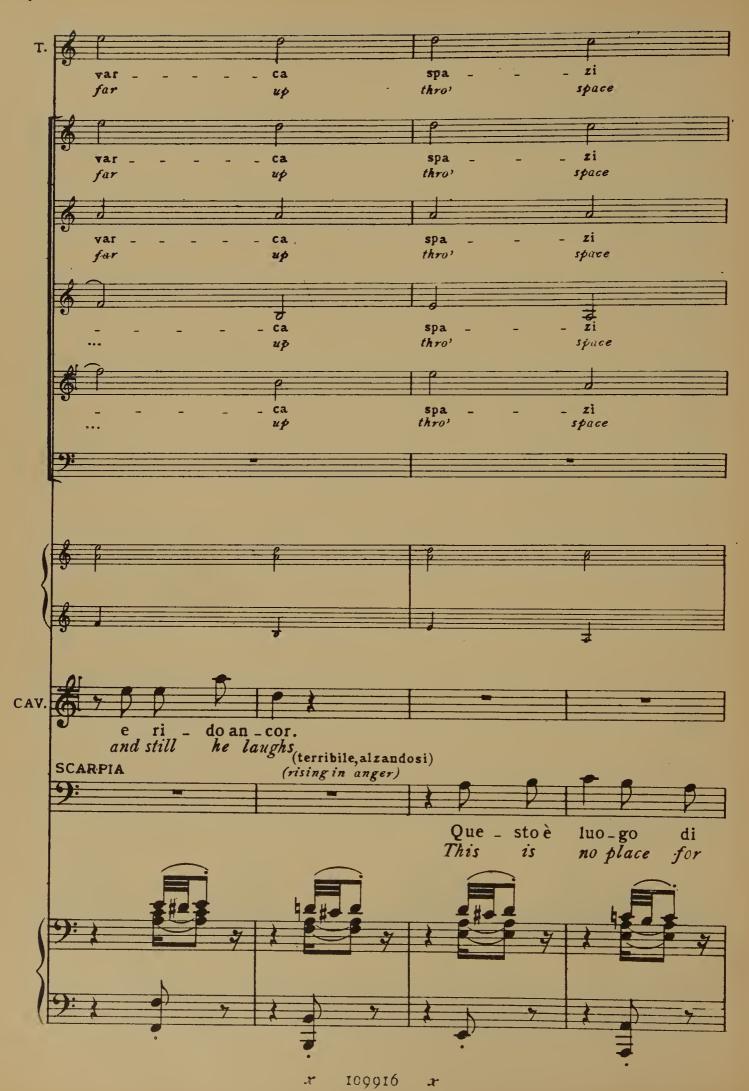


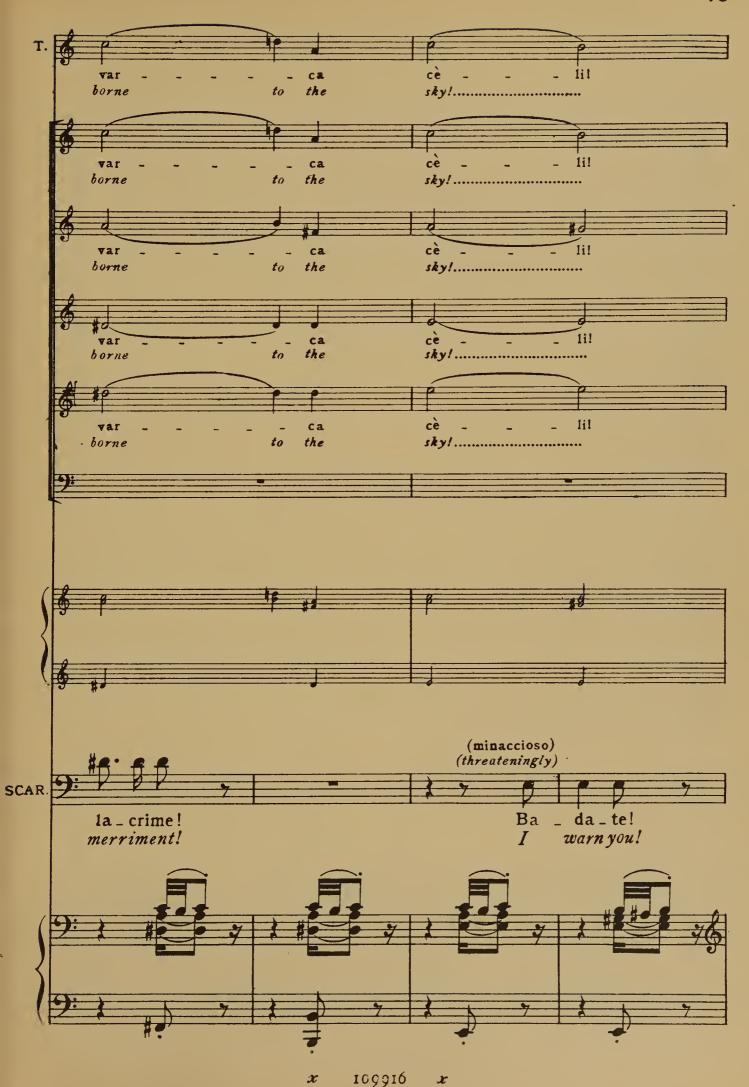


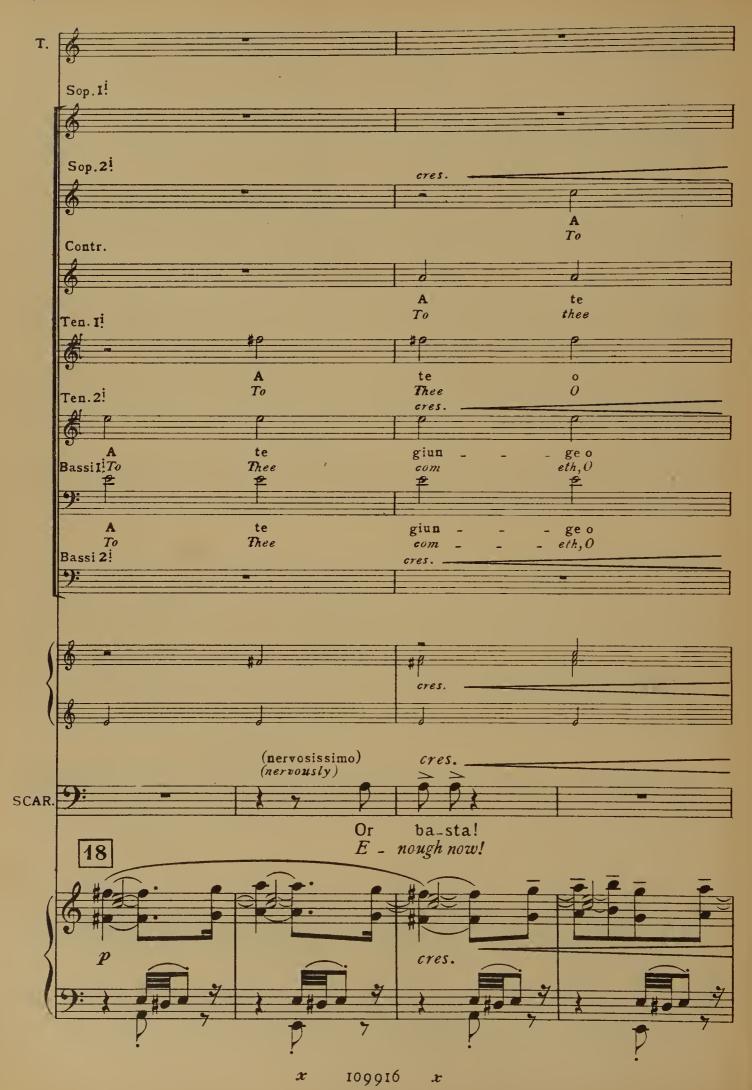


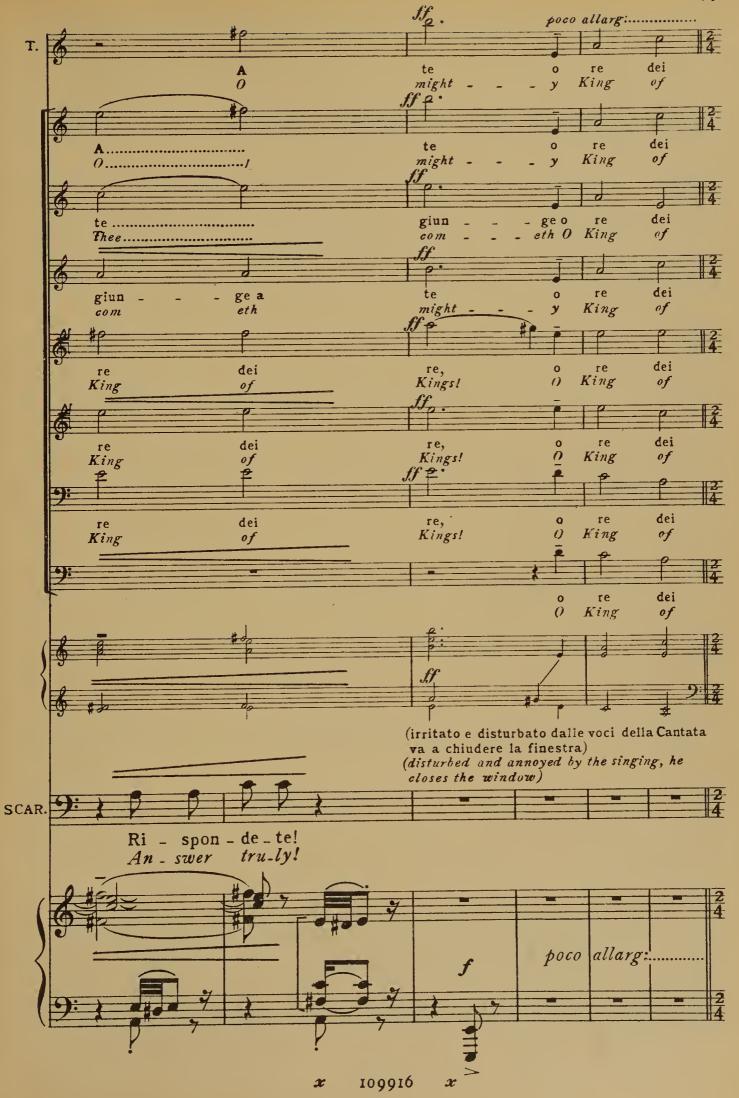


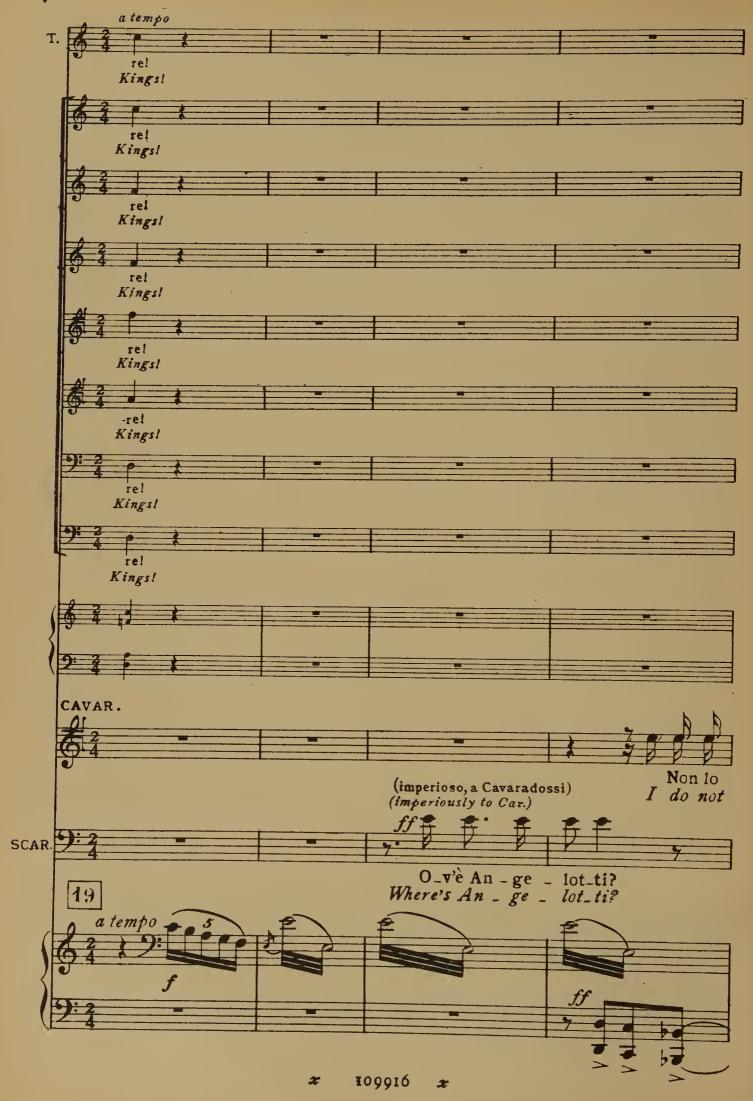


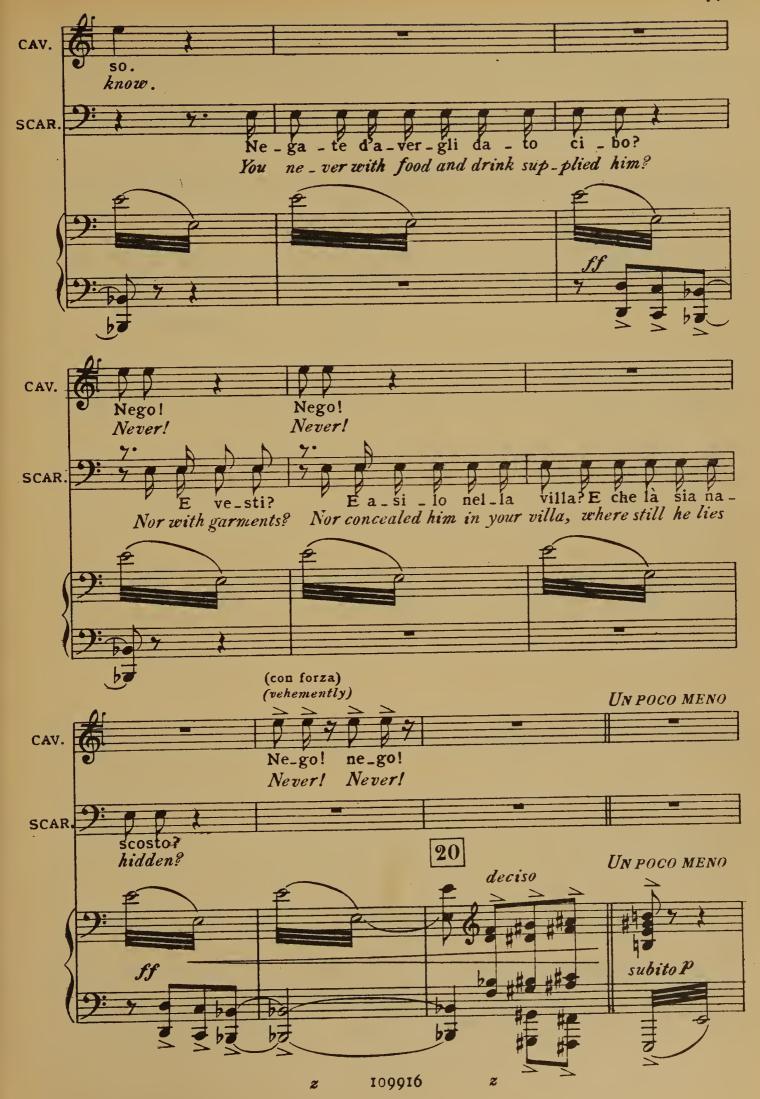


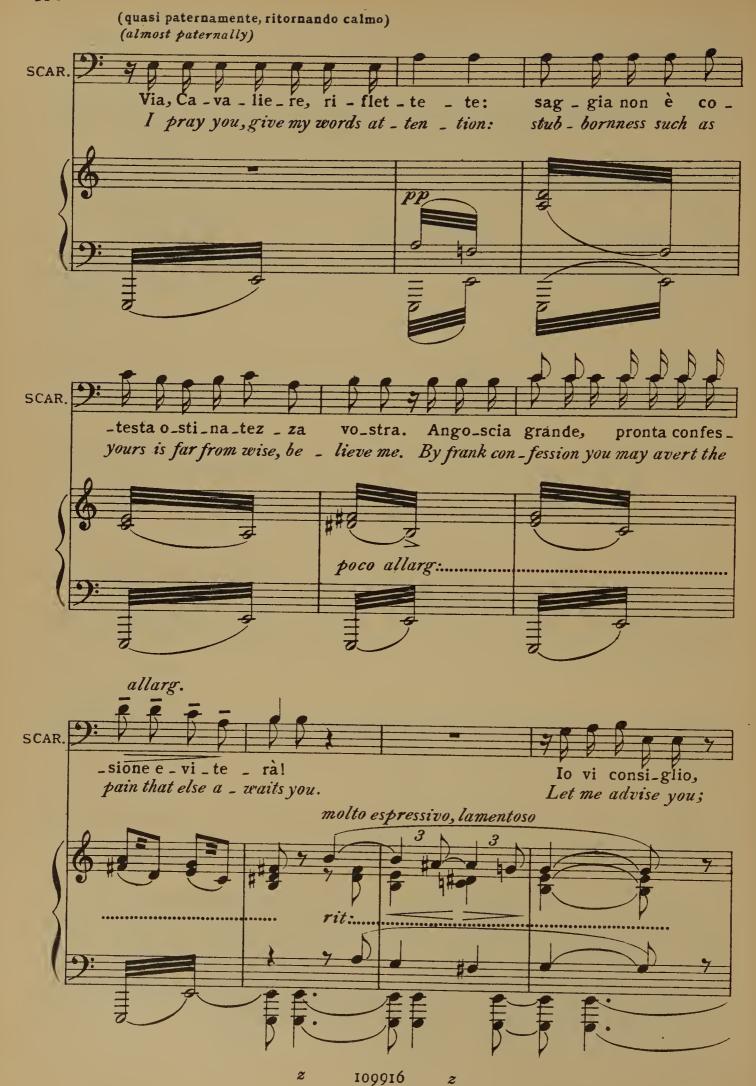


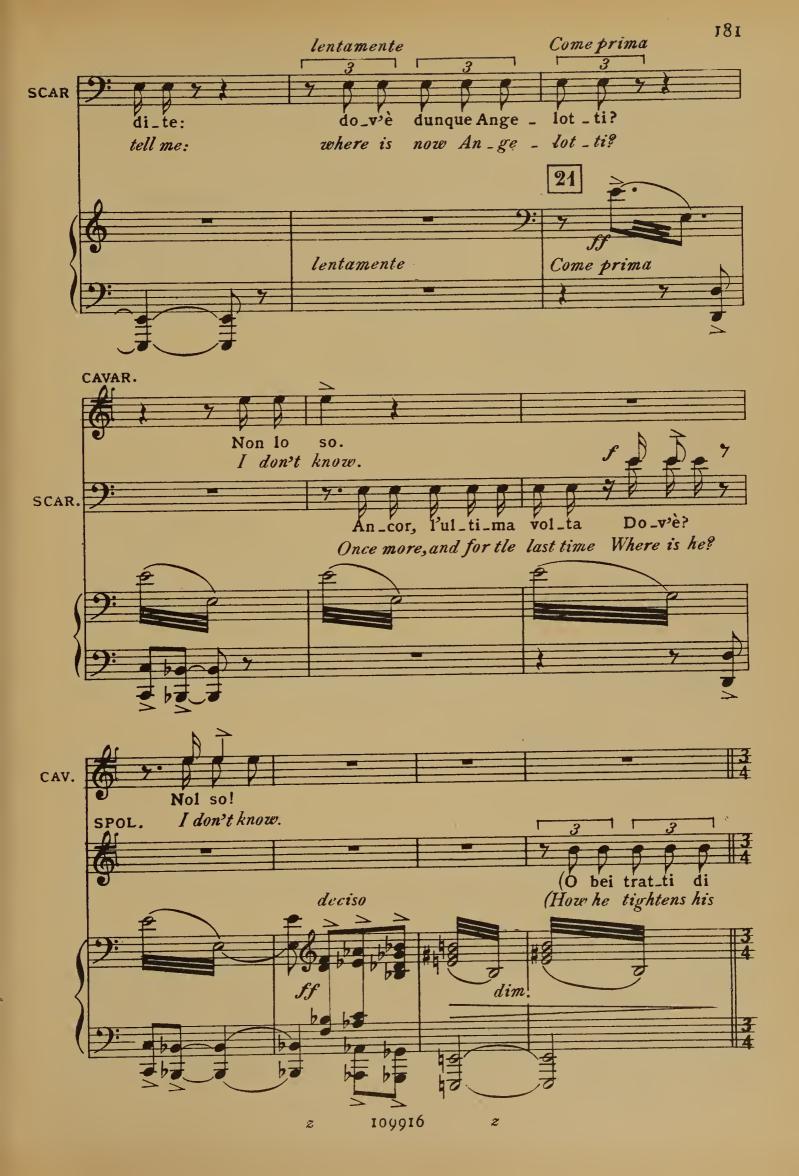


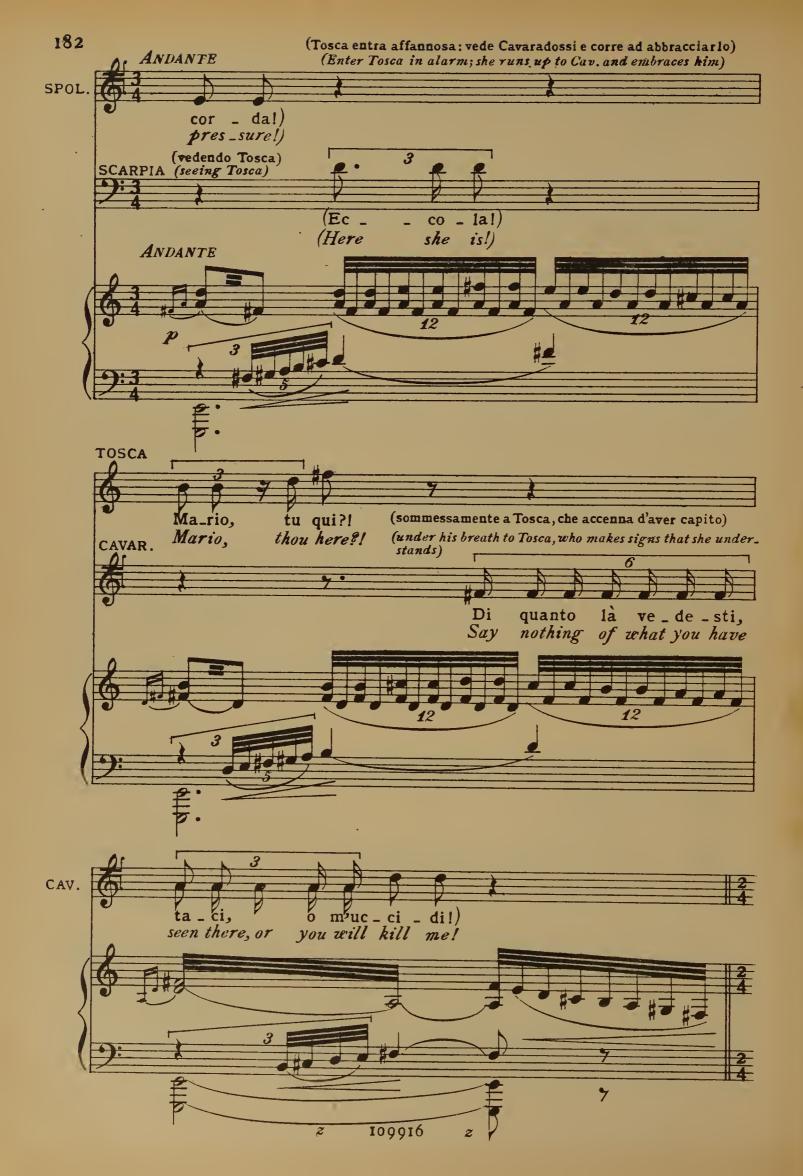






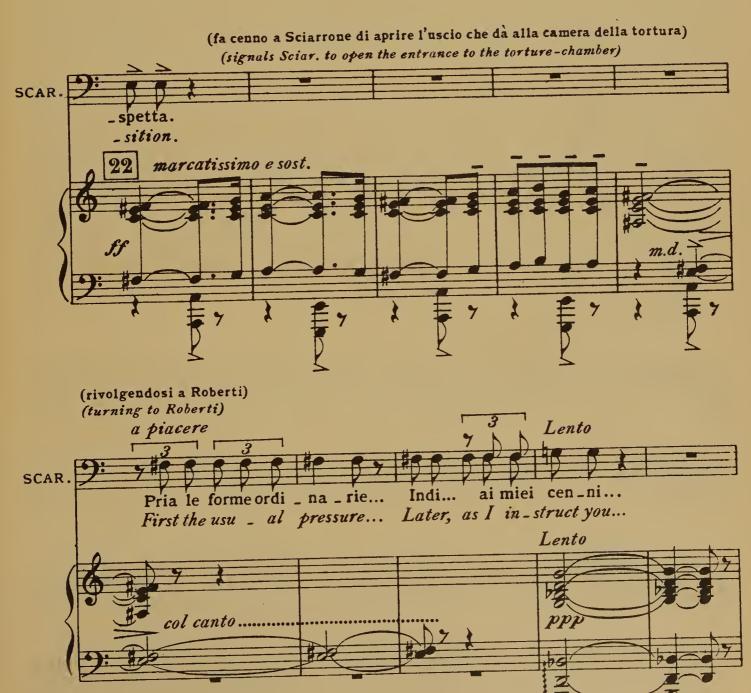




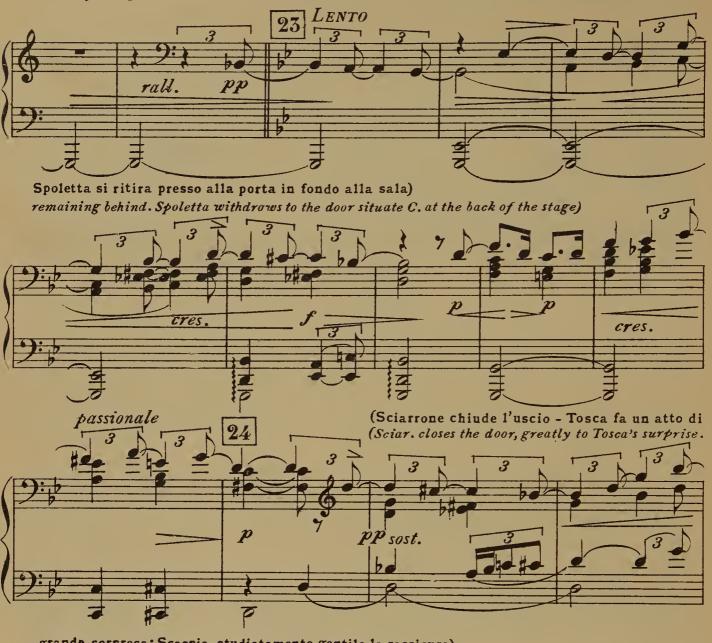




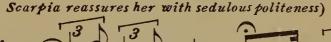




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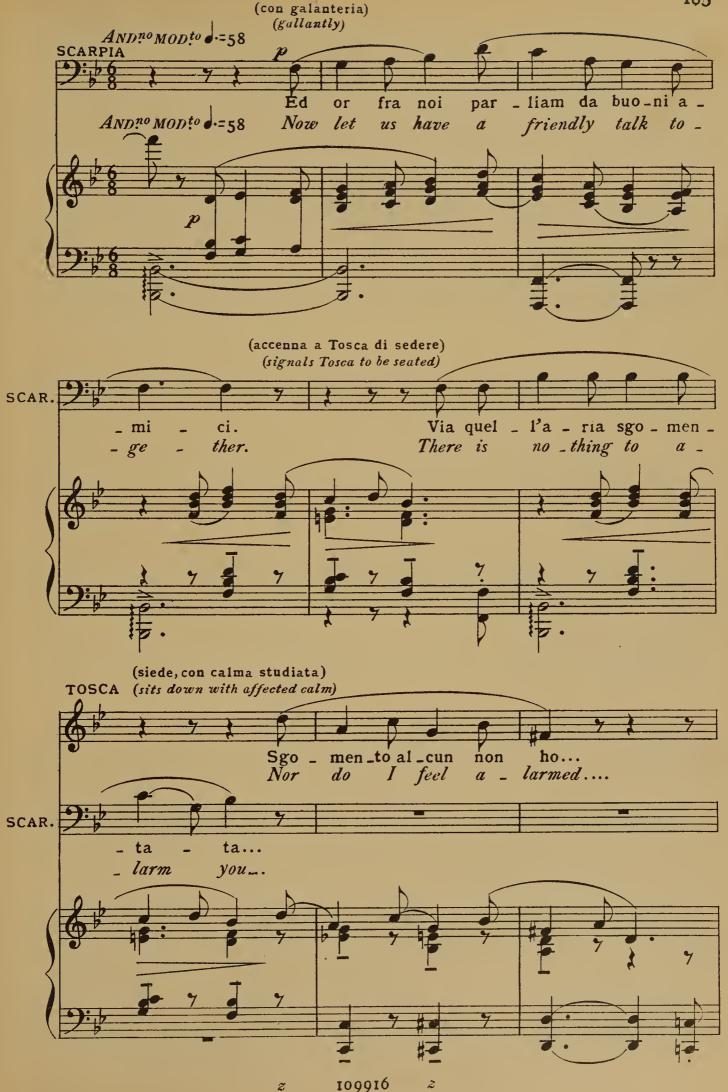


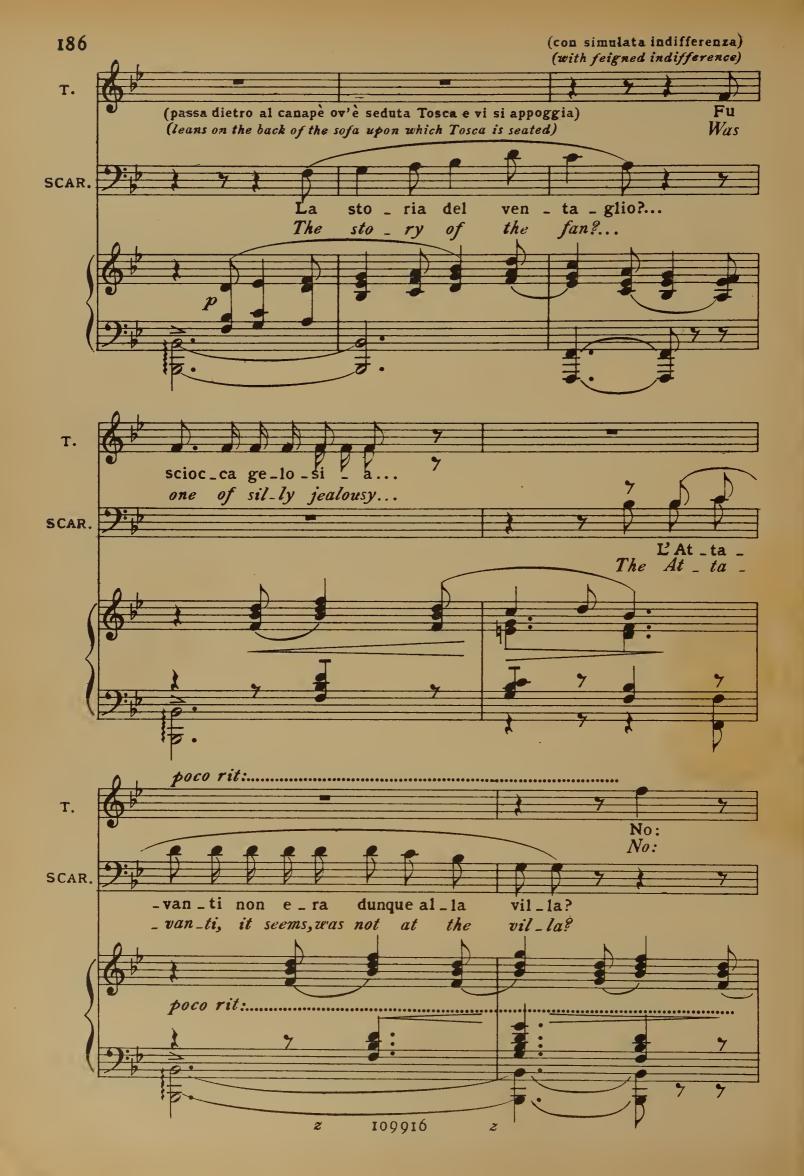
grande sorpresa: Scarpia, studiatamento gentile, la rassicura)

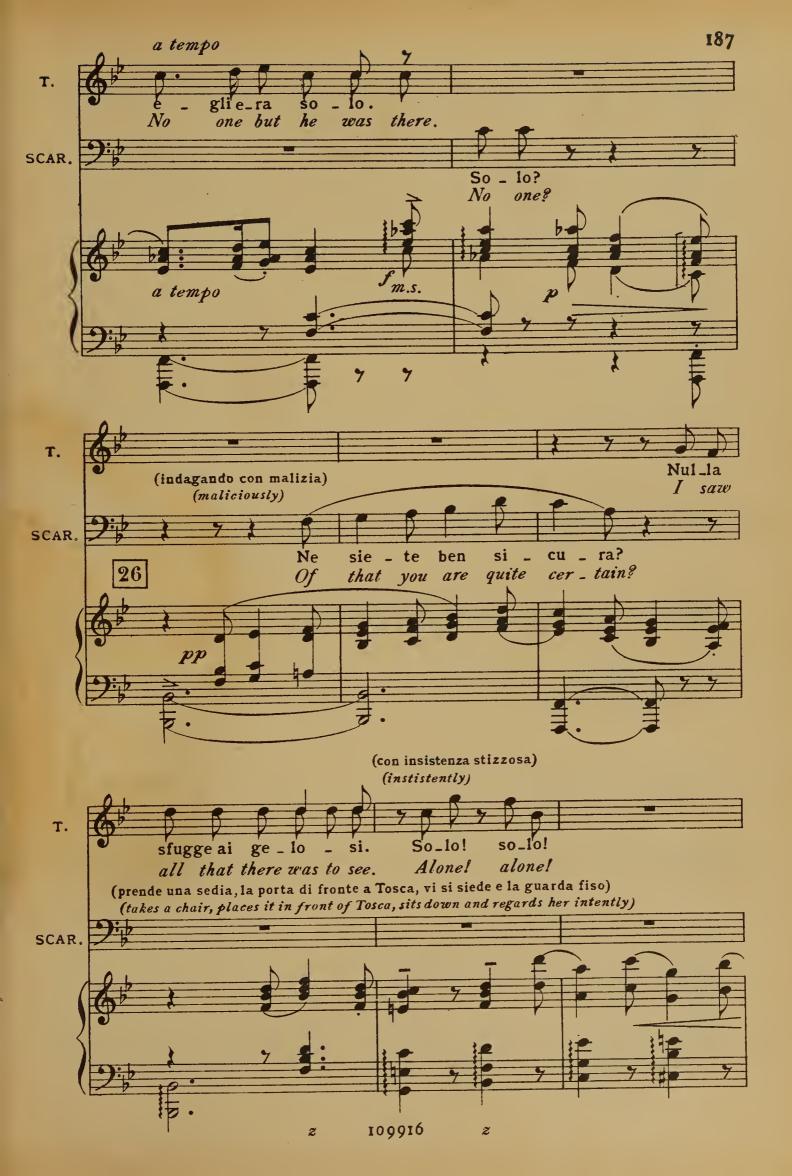


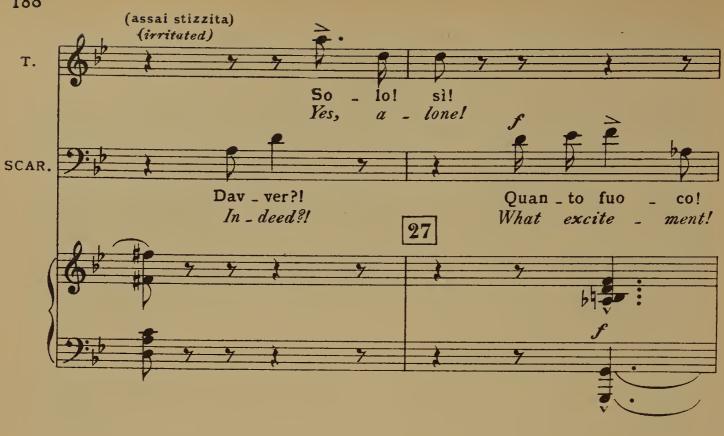


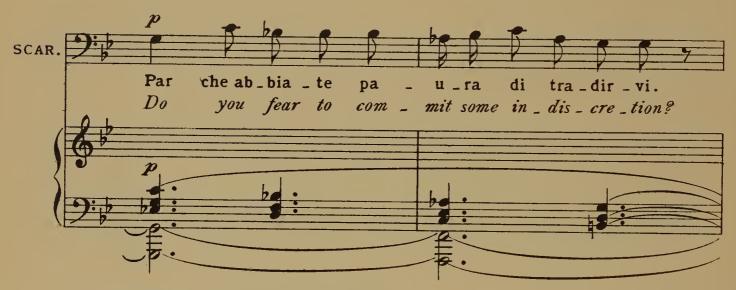




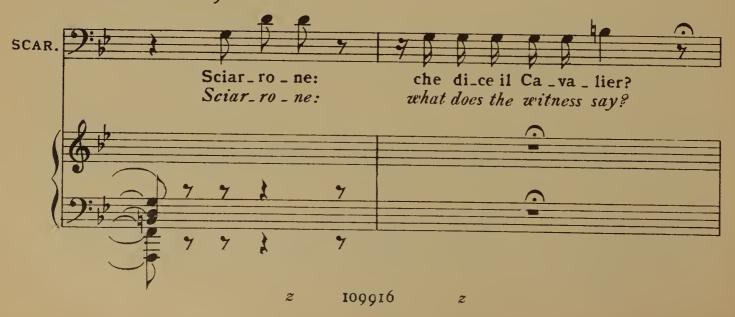


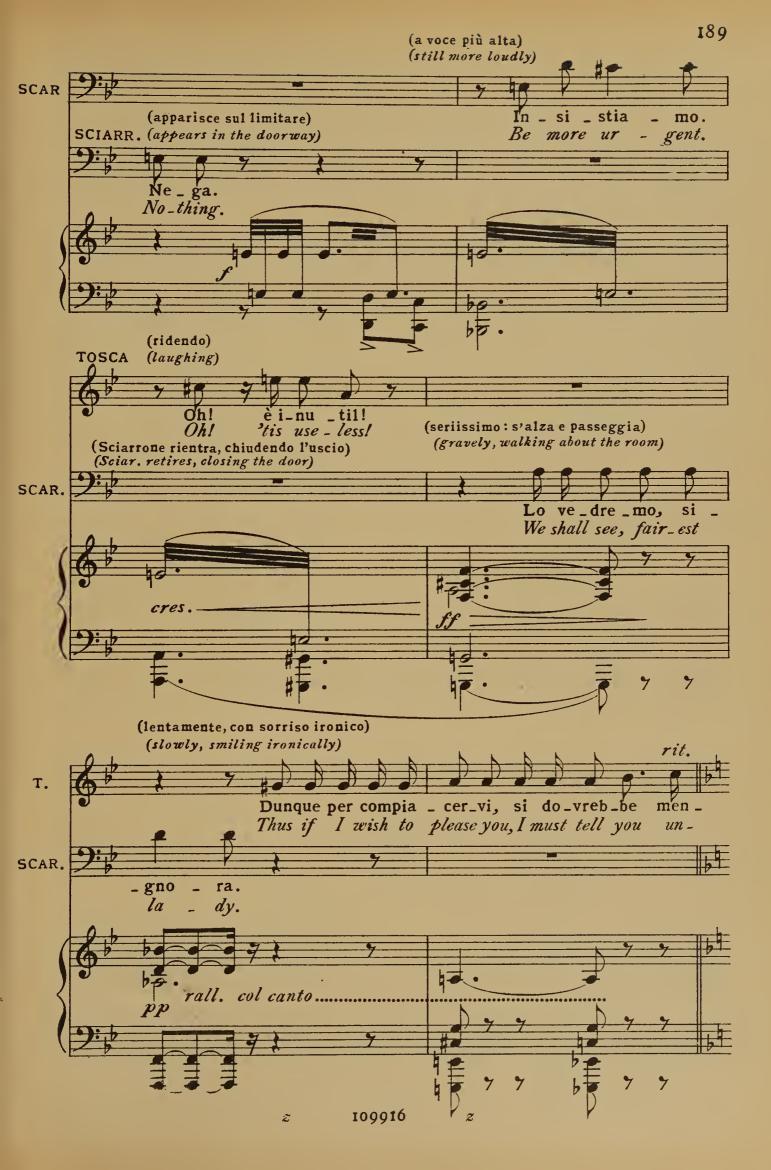


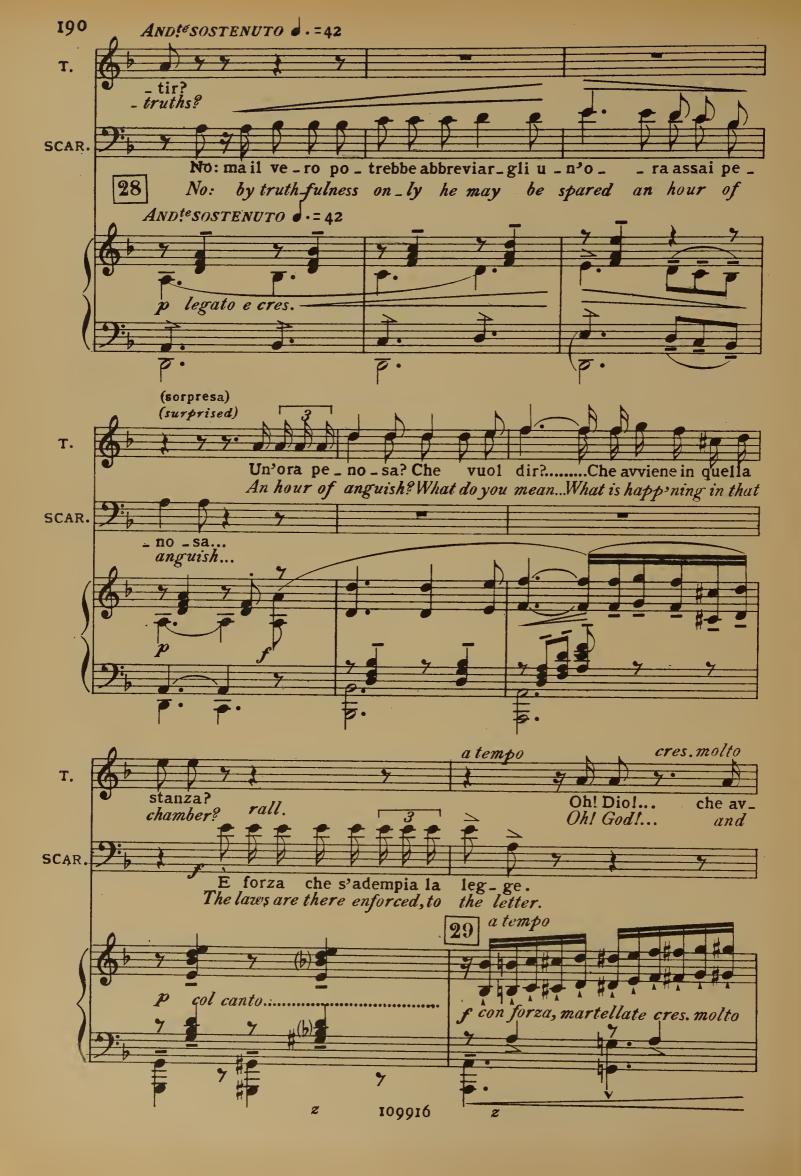


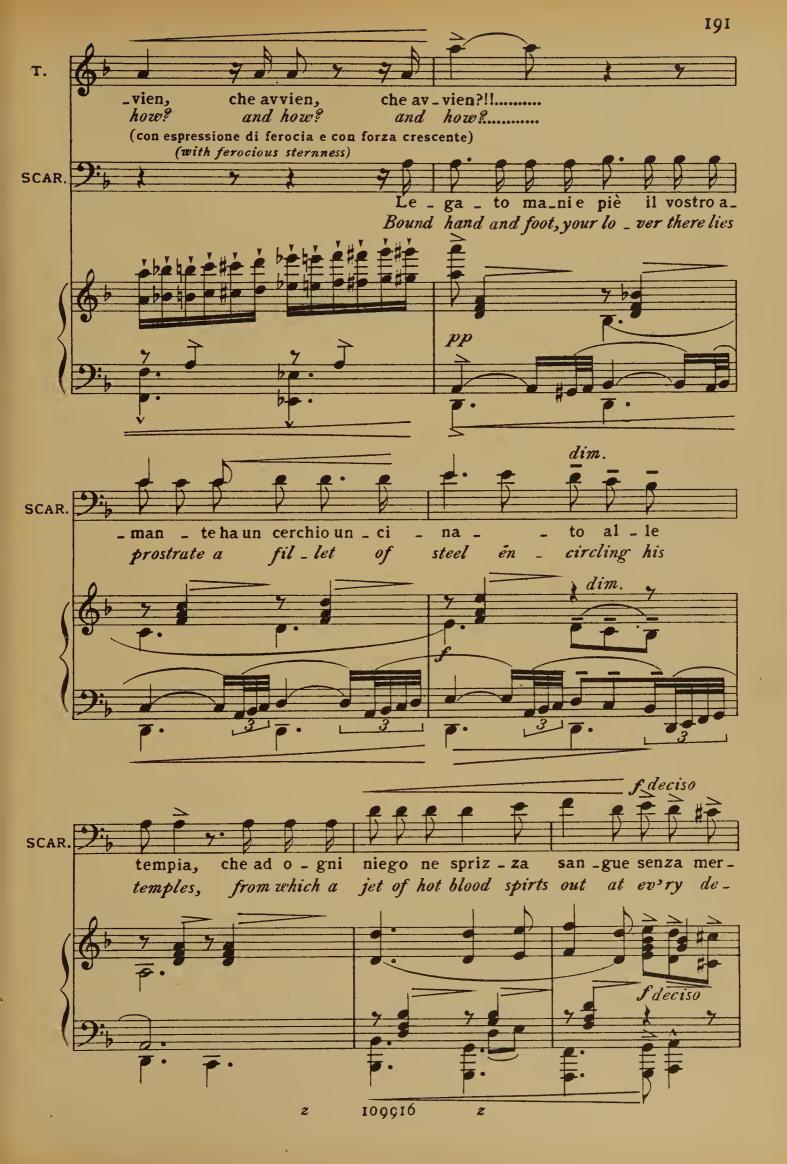


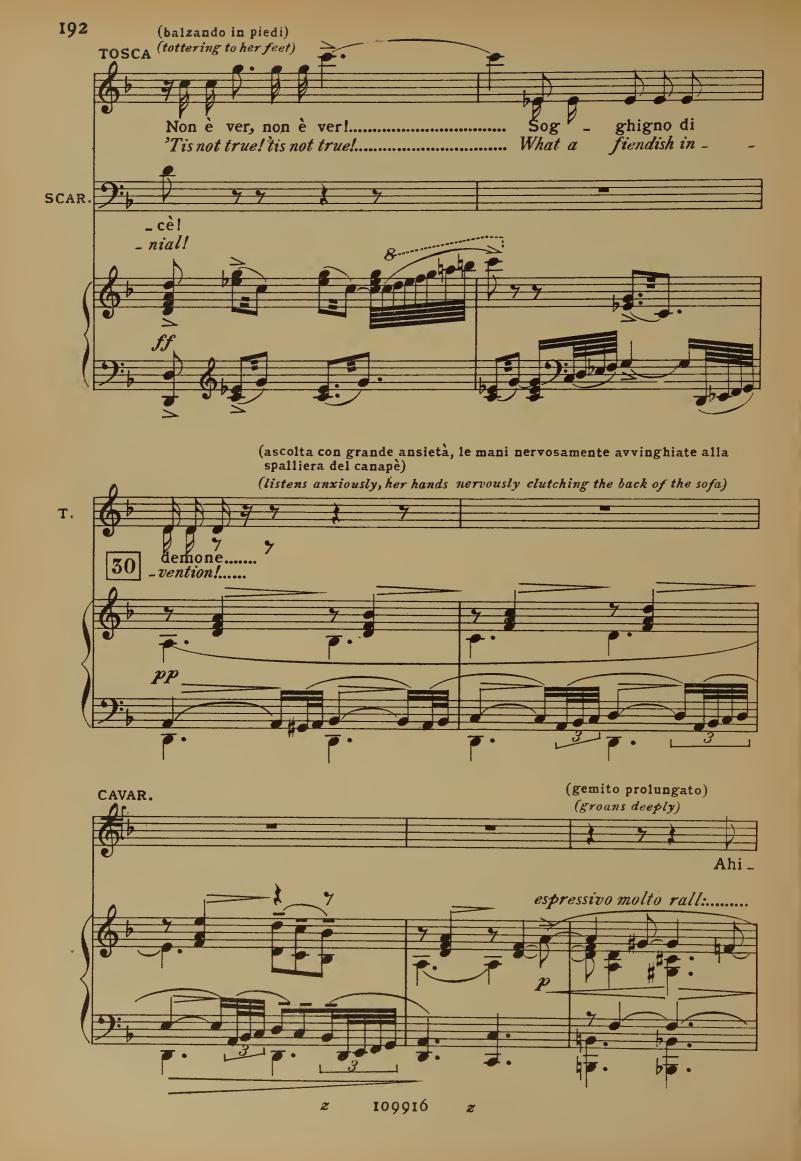
(rivolgendosi verso l'uscio della camera della tortura chiamando:) (turning towards the entrance of the torture - chamber)

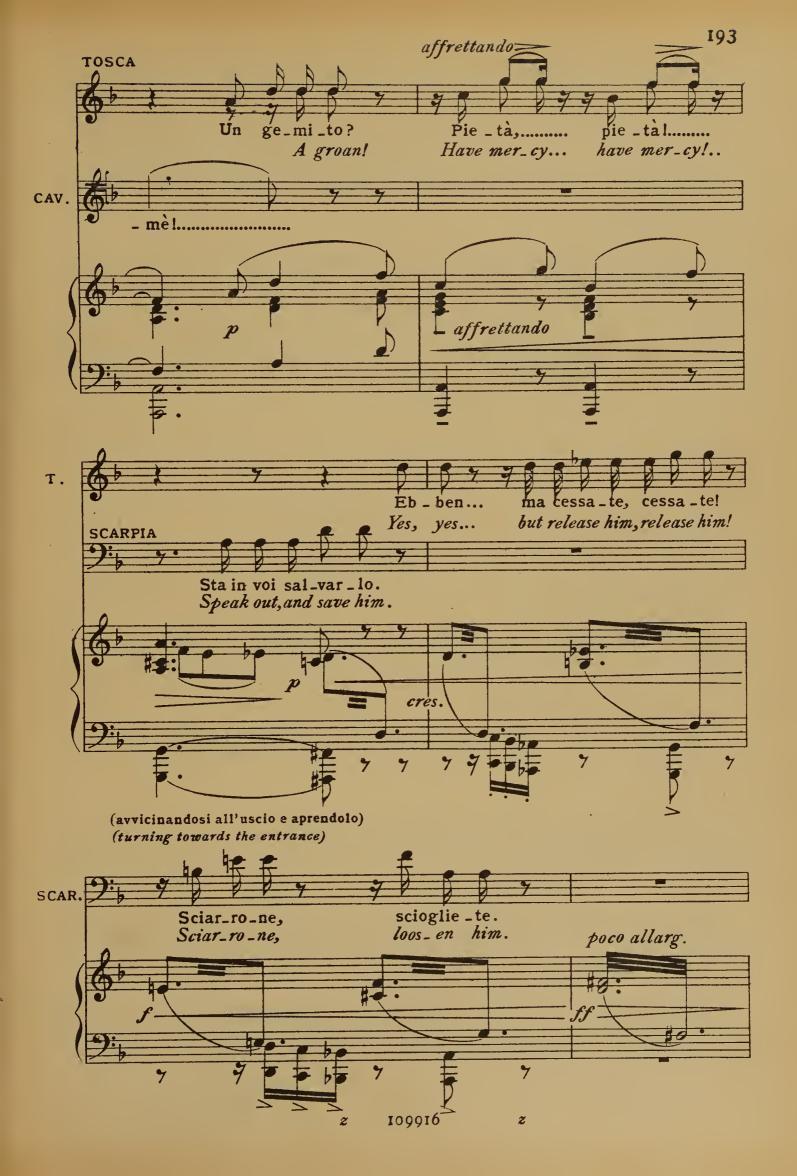


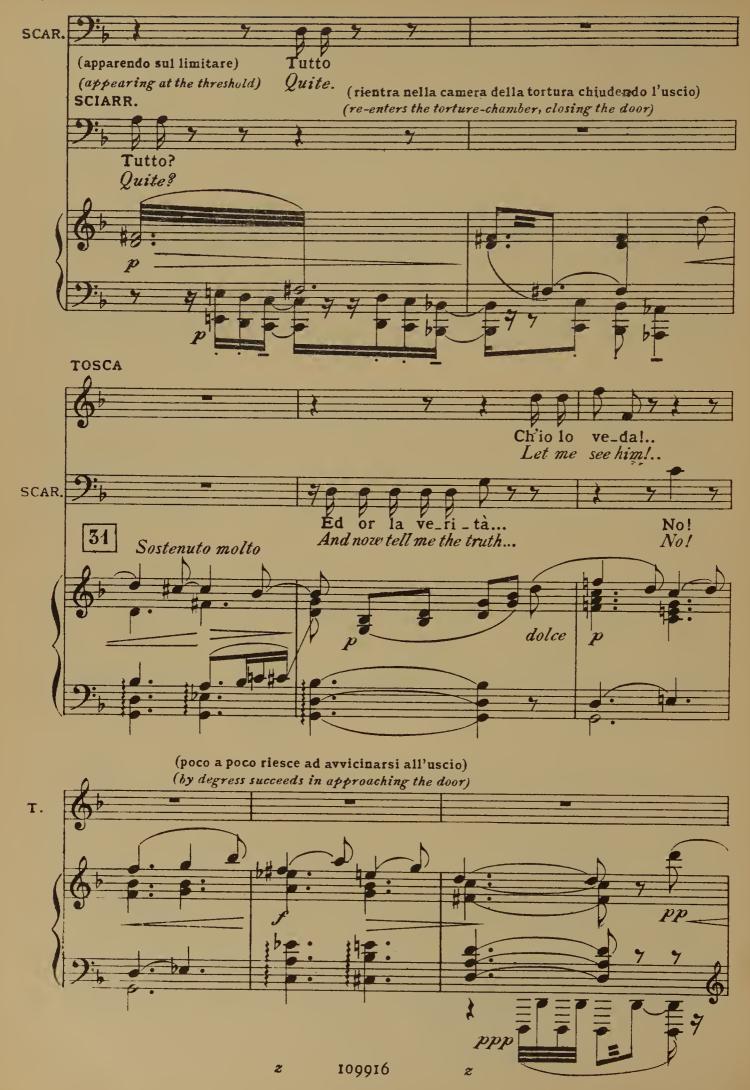


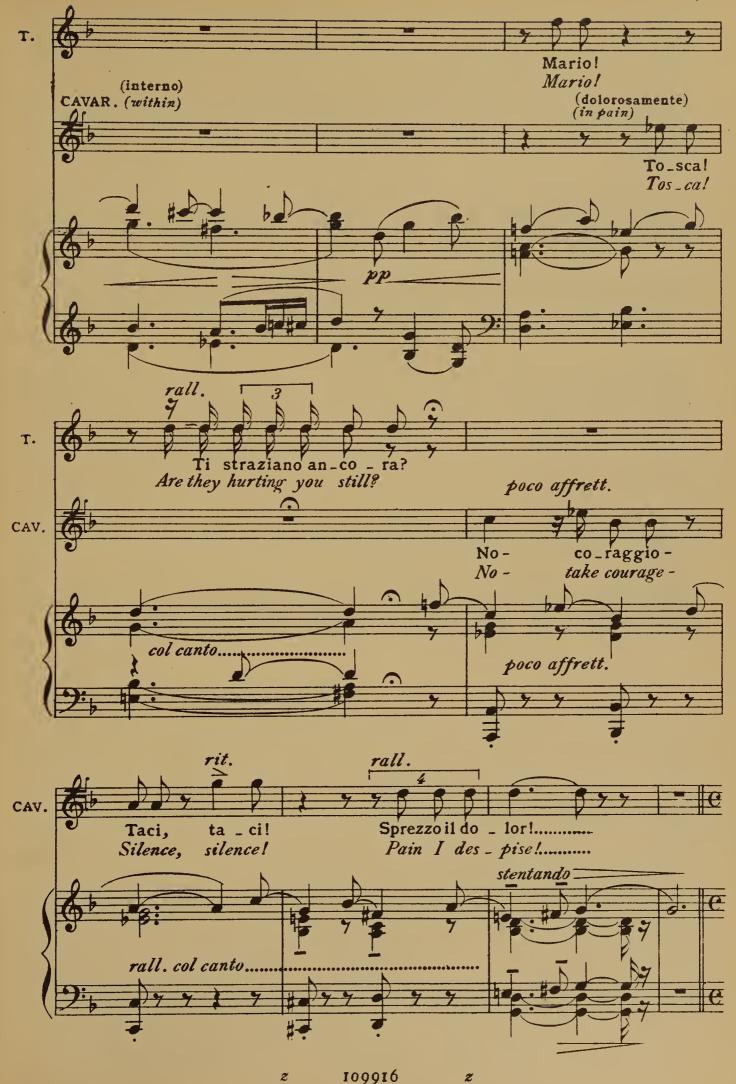


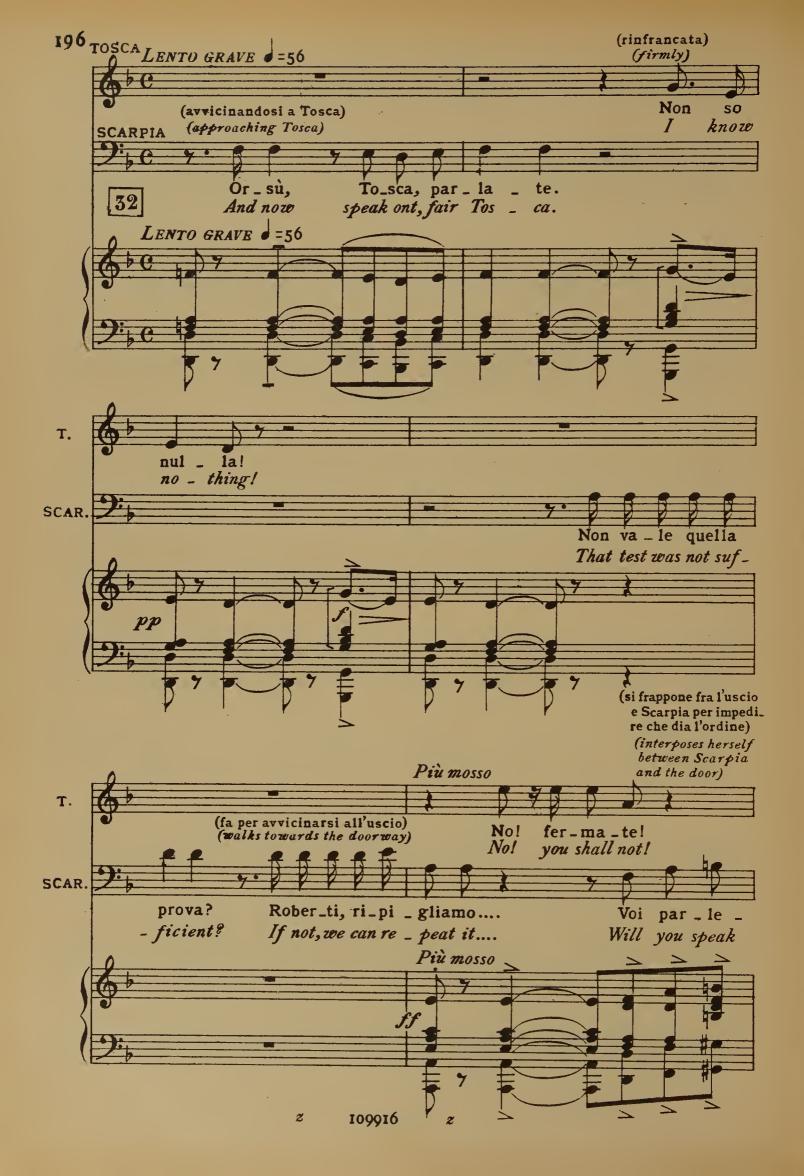


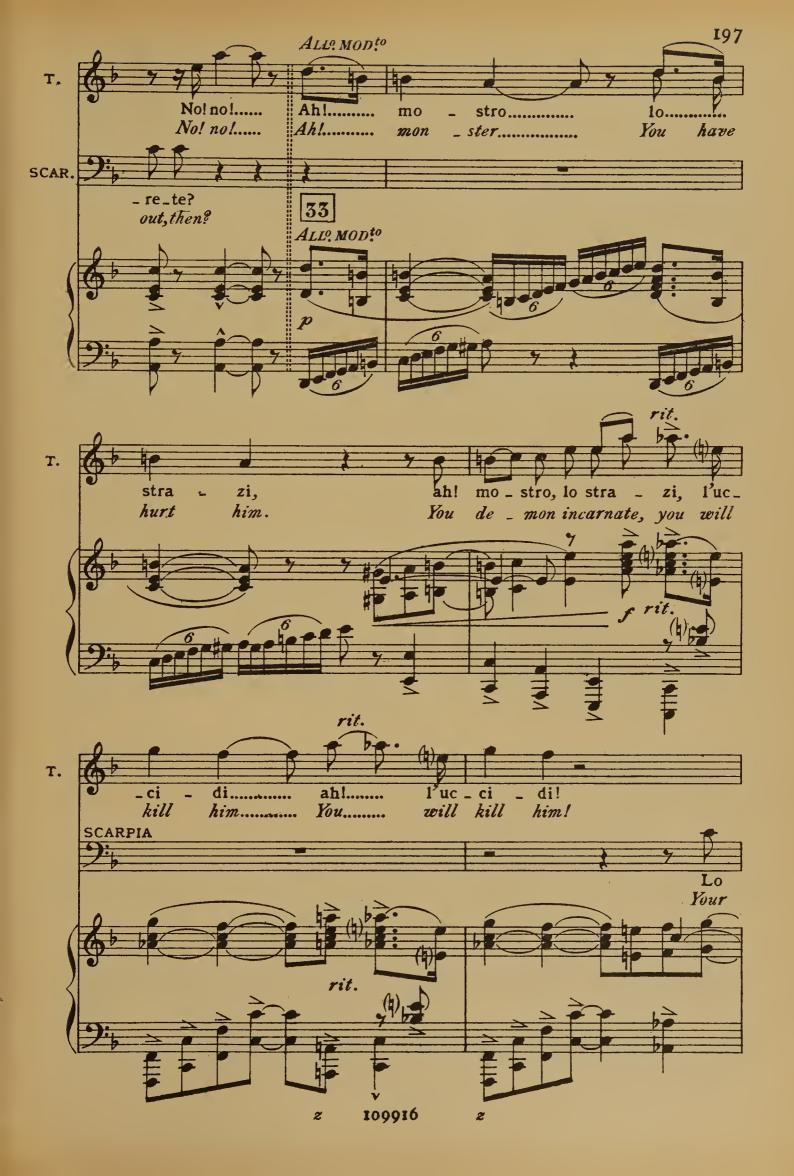


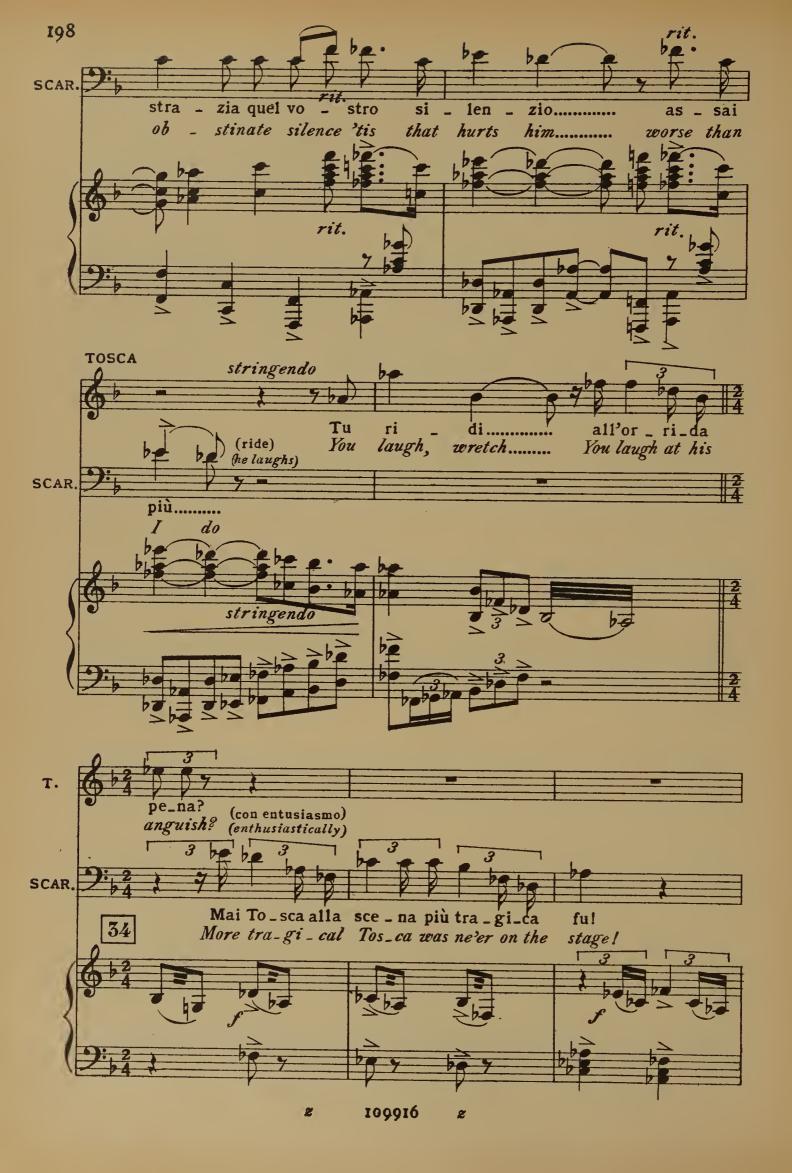




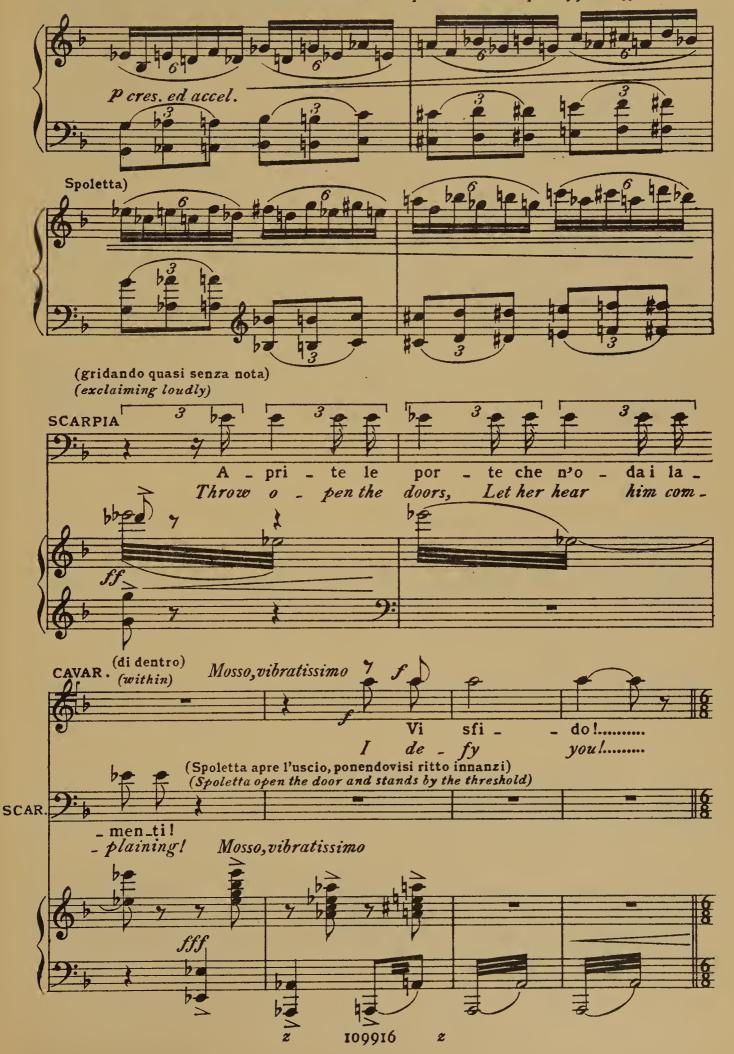


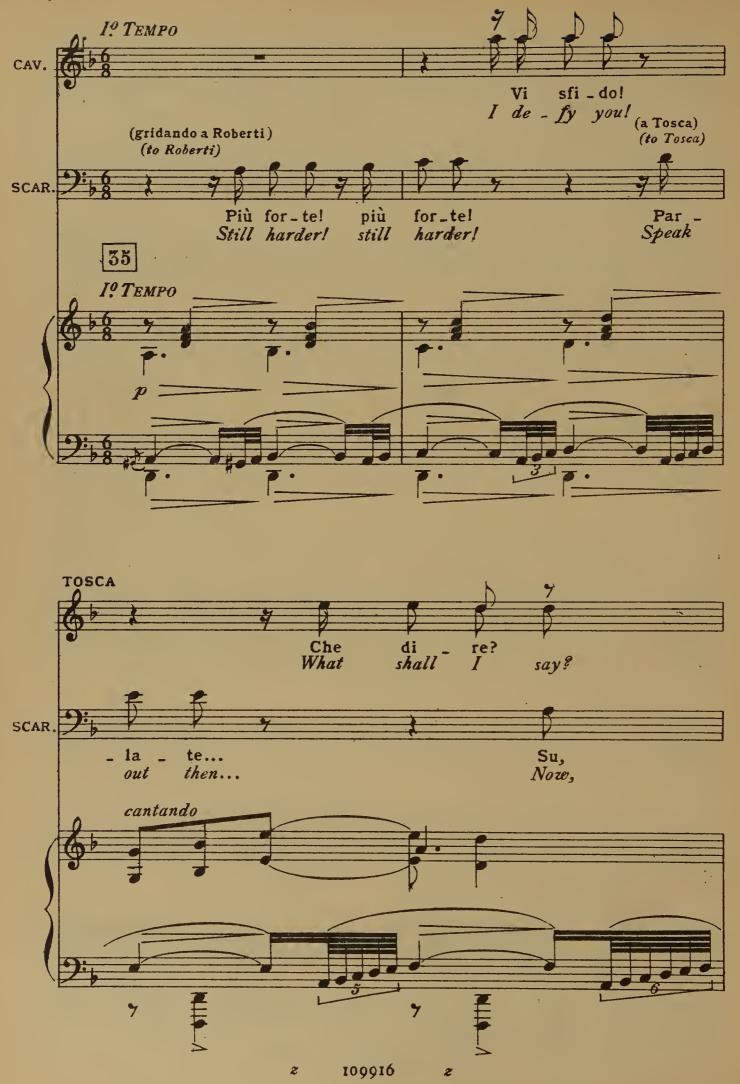


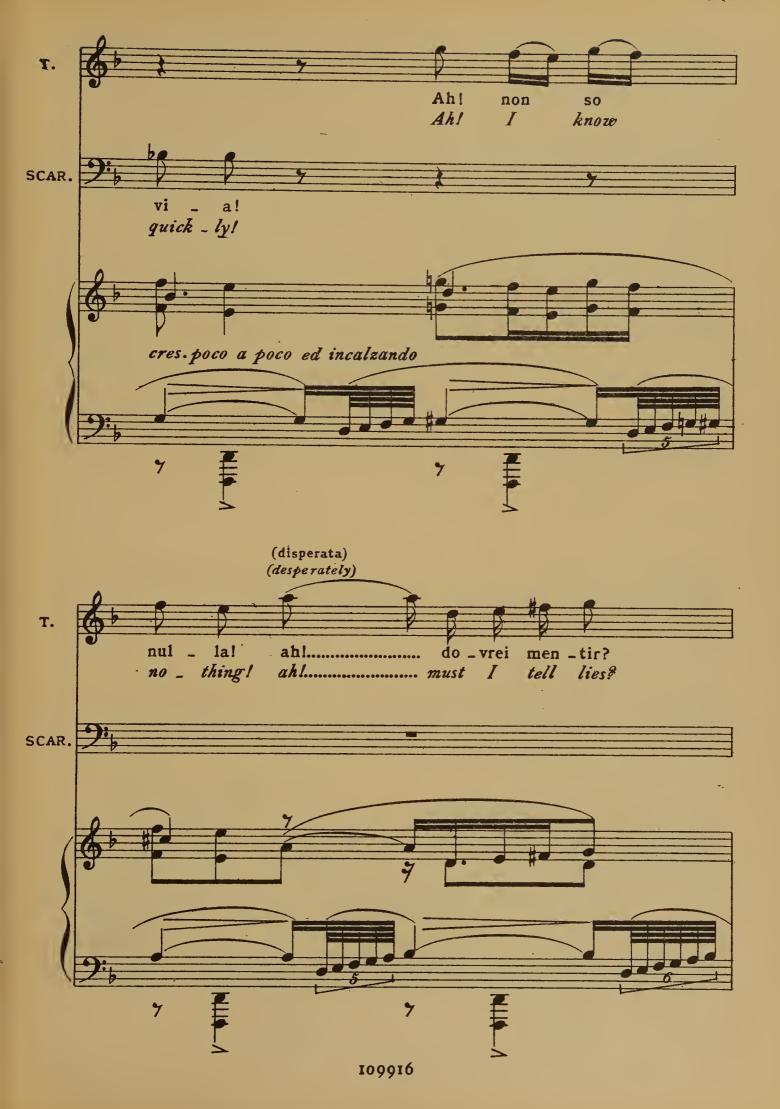


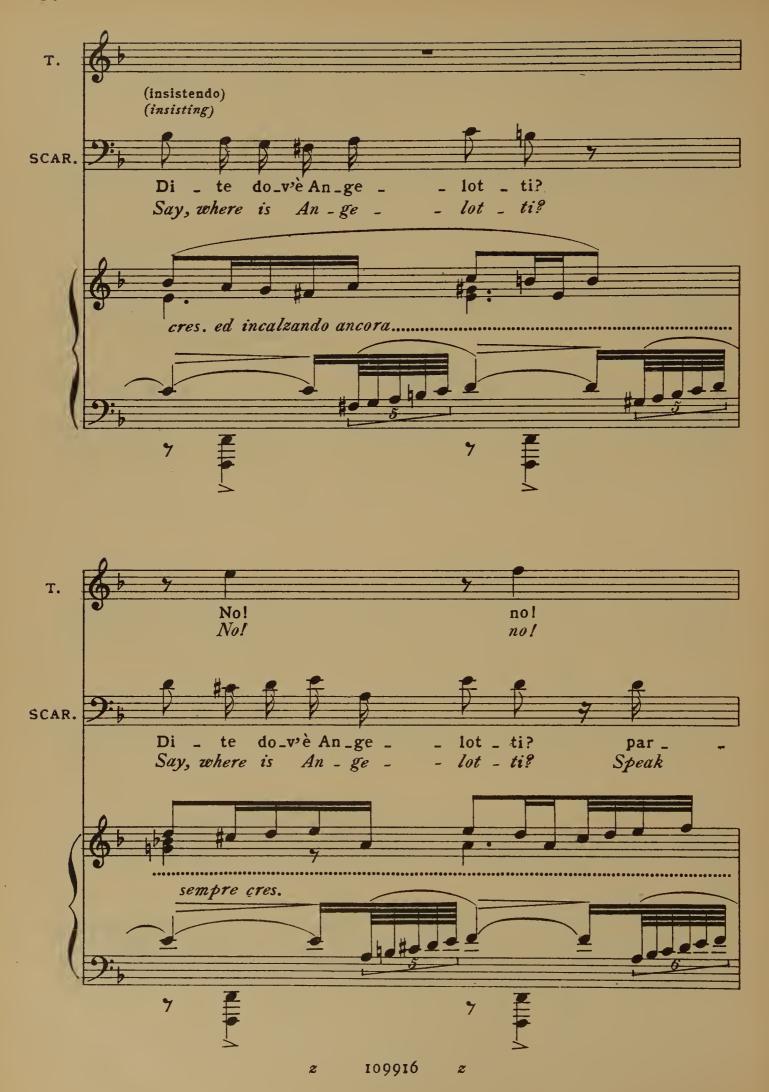


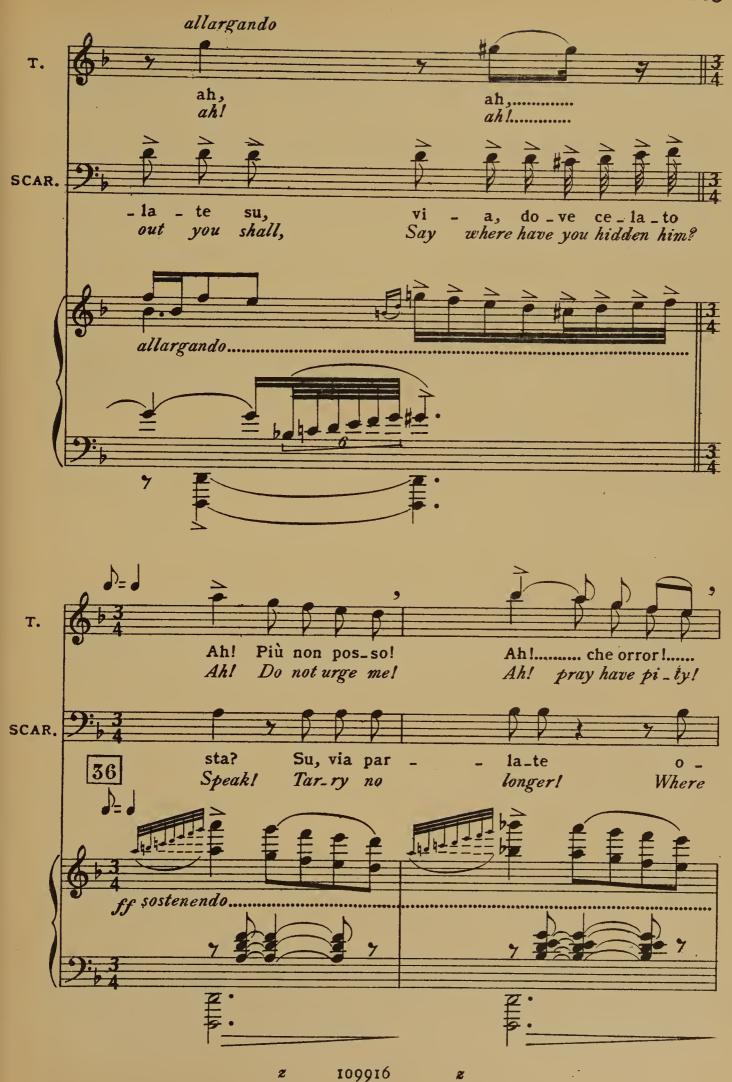
(Tosca, înorridita, si allontana da Scarpia che, preso da subitaneo senso di ferocia, si rivolge a (Tosca withdraws in terror Scar. who turns towards Spoletta in a transport of ferocity)

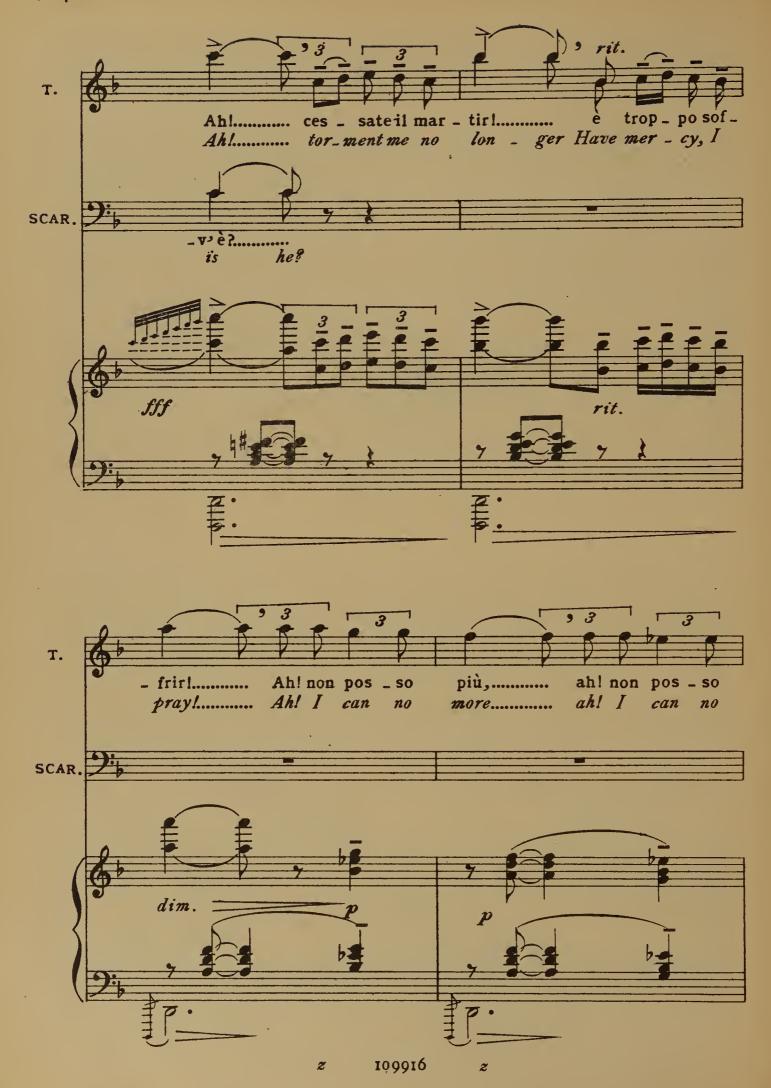






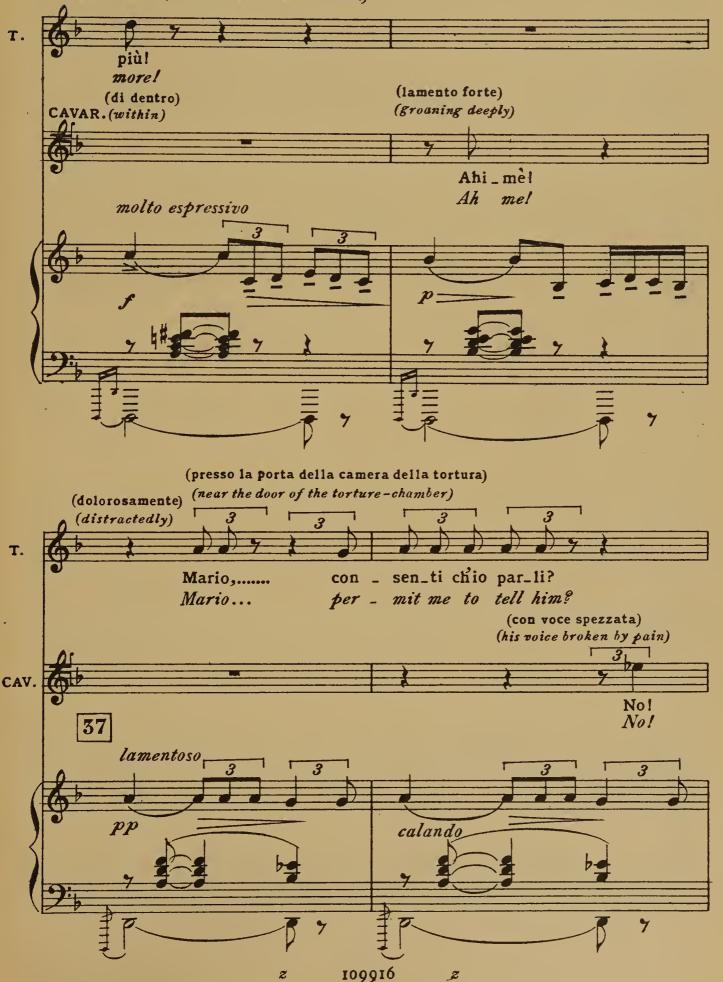


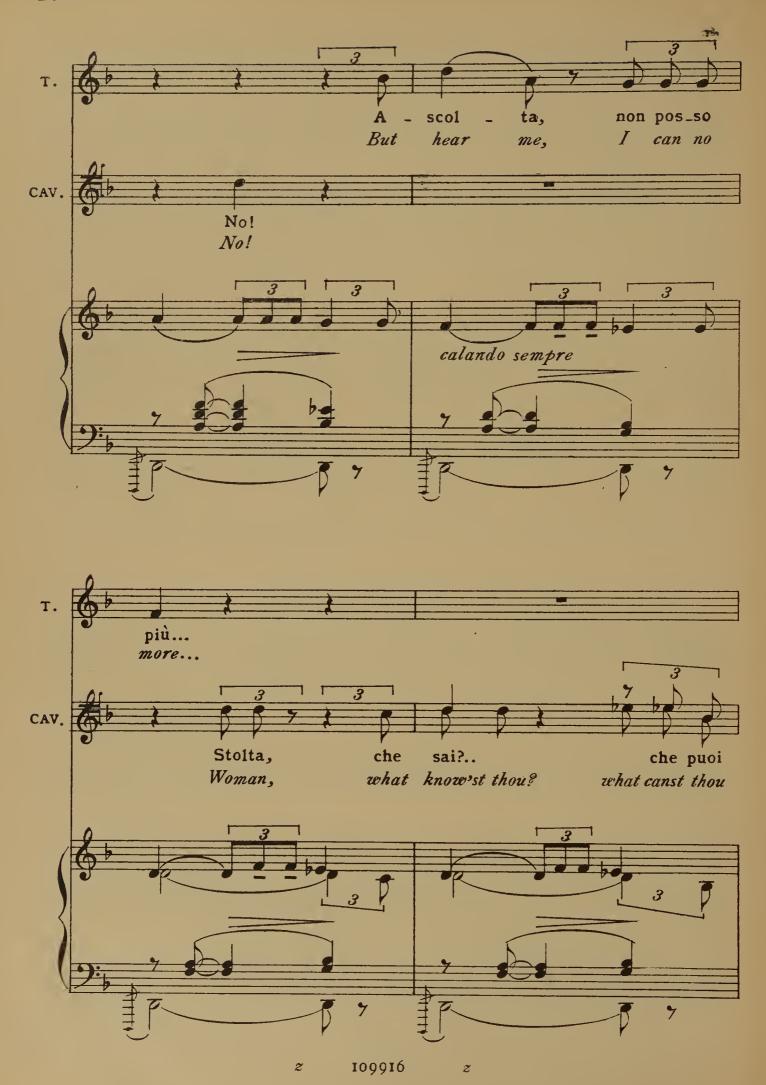


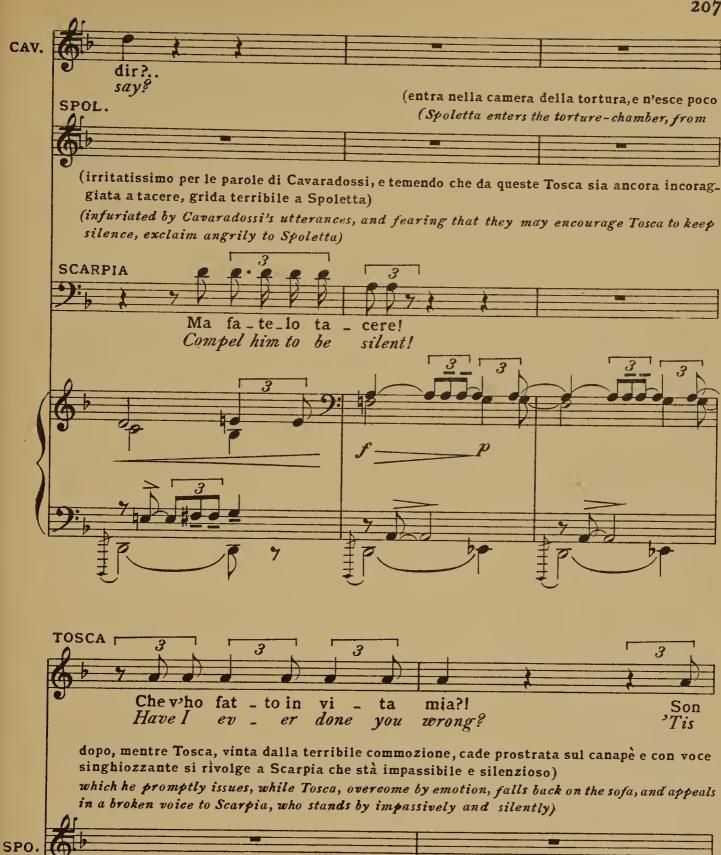


(si rivolge supplichevole a Scarpia, il quale fa cenno a Spoletta di lasciare avvicinare Tosca: questa va presso l'uscio aperto, ed esterrefatta alla vista dell'orribile scena, si ri volge a Cavaradossi)

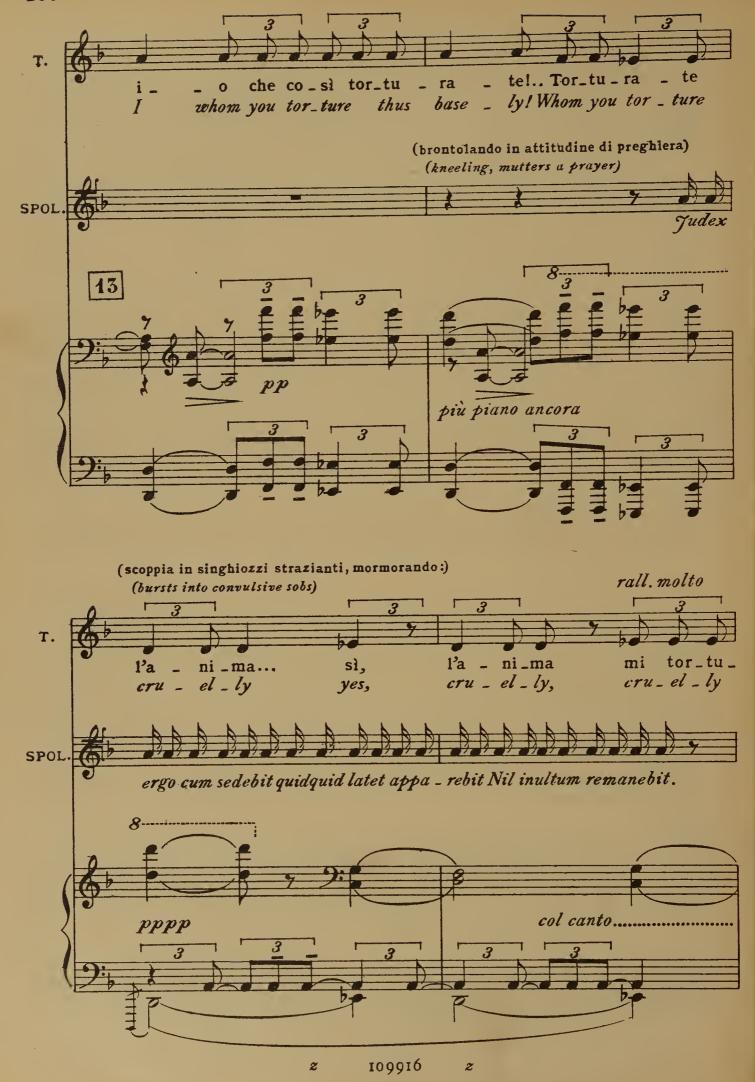
(At a sign from Scar., Spol. allows Tosca to approach the open door. Horror-stricken by what she sees, she advances towards Cav.)





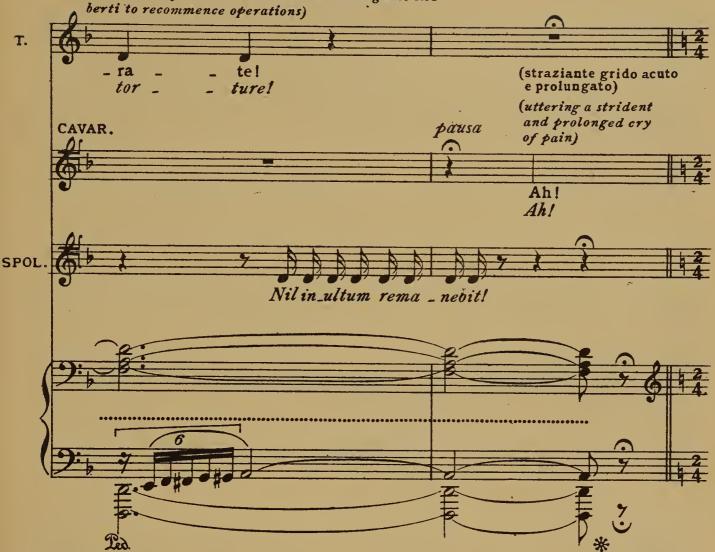






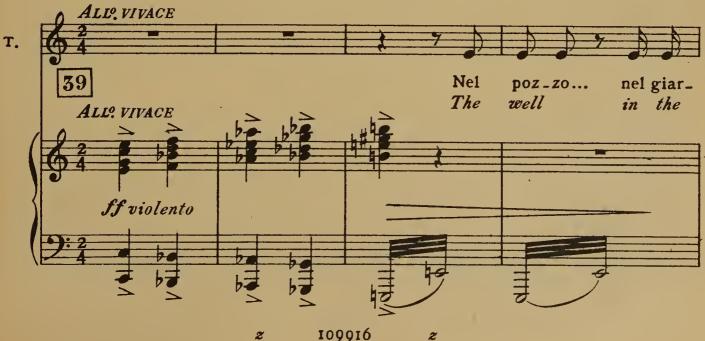
(Scarpia, approfittando dell'accasciamento di Tosca, va presso la camera della tortura e fa cenno di ri cominciare il supplizio)

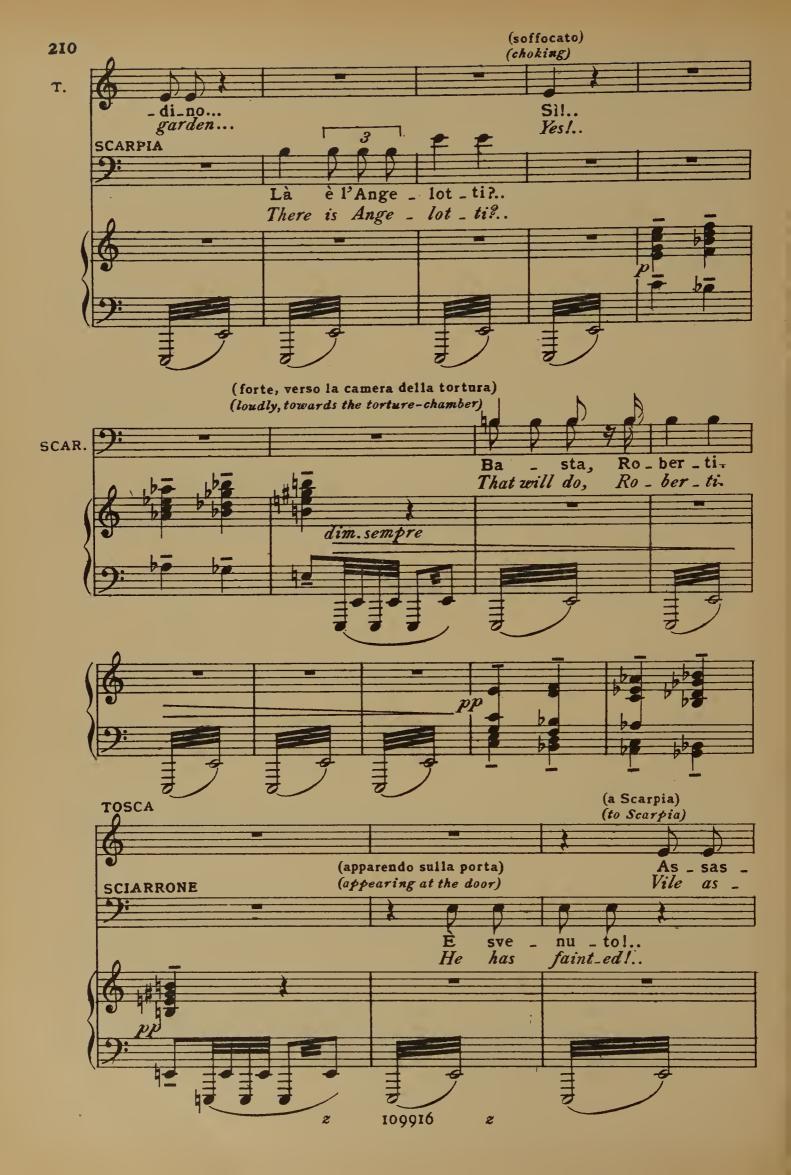
(Scarpia, profiting by Tosca's prostration, goes up to the door of the torture-chamber and signals Ro-

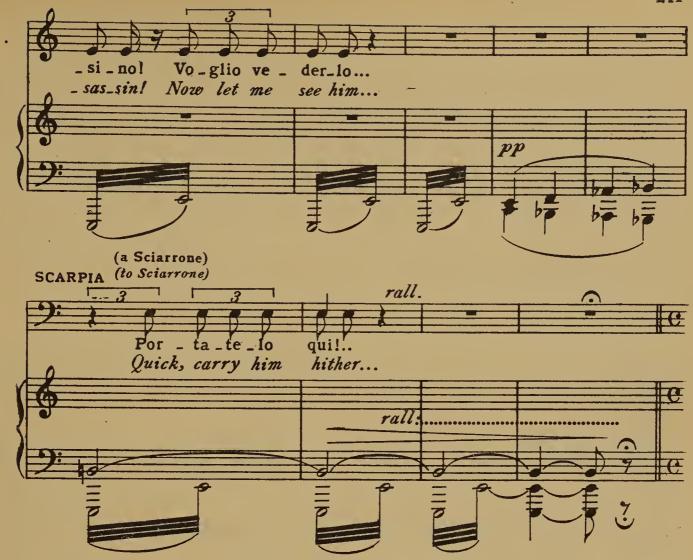


(al grido di Cavaradossi, Tosca si alza di scatto e subito, con voce soffocata, dice rapidamente a Scarpia:)

(when Cav. cries aloud, Tosca rises from the sofa, and in a stifled voice says hurriedly to Scarpia:)







(appare Cavaradossi svenuto portato dai birri e vien deposto sul canapè--Tosca corre a lui, (Cavar., swooning, is carried in by the agents and deposited on the sofa. Tosca rushes towards



ma è presa da orrore alla vista di Cavaradossi tutto insanguinato, e s'arresta cuoprendosi him, but is stricken by horror when she see him bleeding, and stands still, covering her eyes

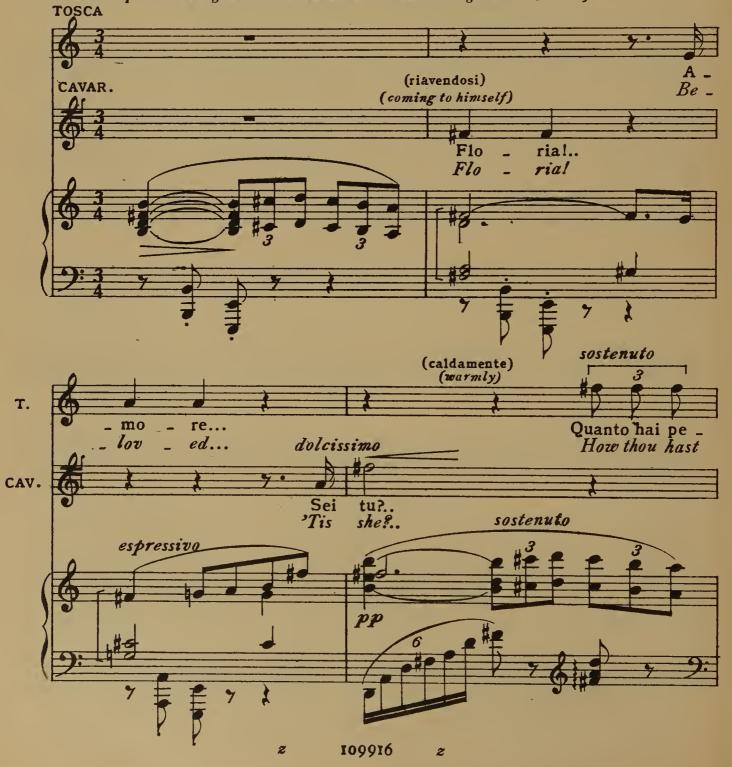


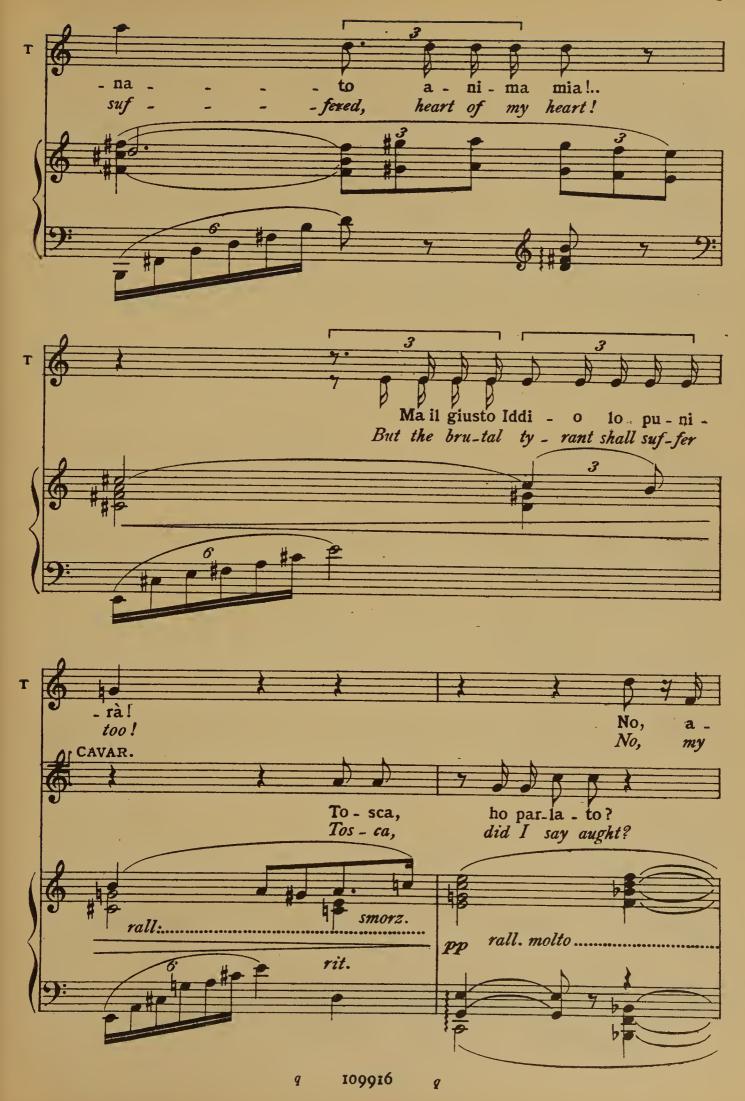


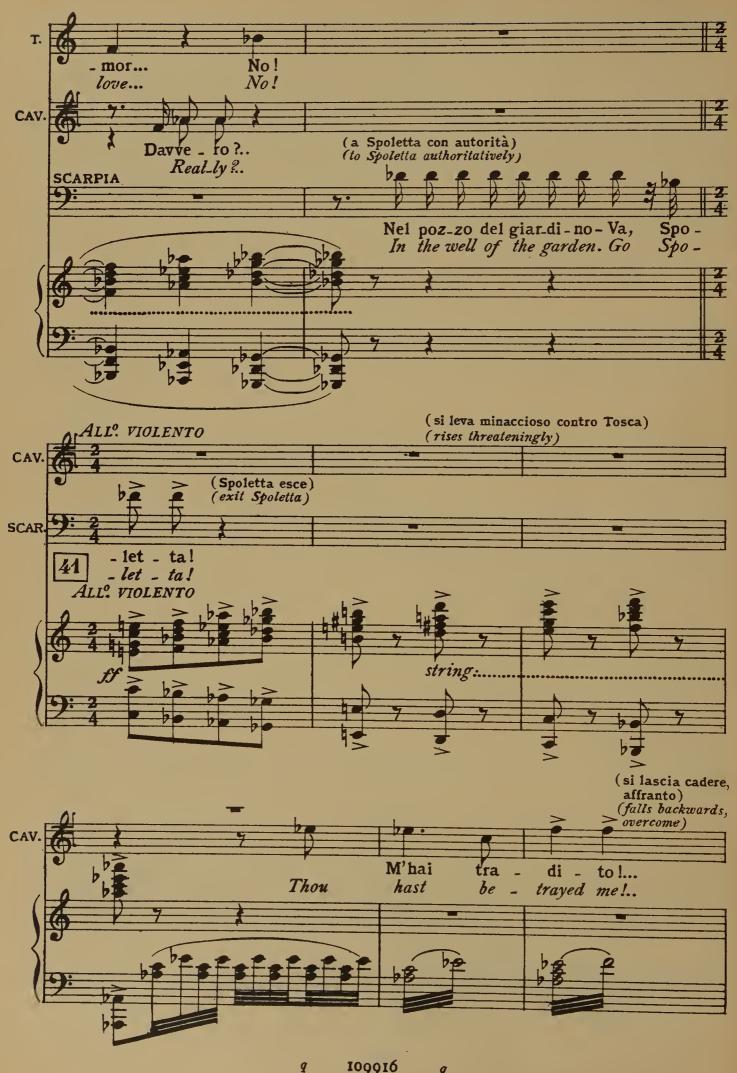
a Cavaradossi cuoprendolo di baci e lagrime)

tears upon him)

escono dal fondo; i birri e Spoletta ad un cenno di Scarpia, rimangono) unt C. Spol. and the agents remain behind in obedience to a sign made by Scar.)

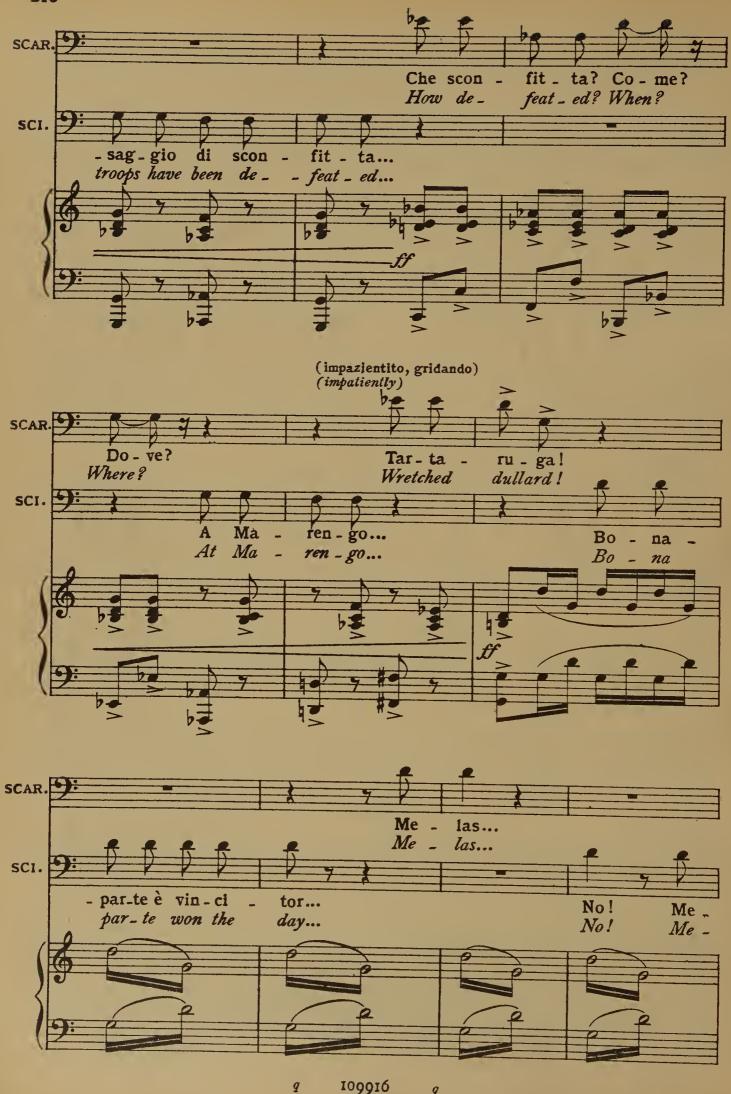


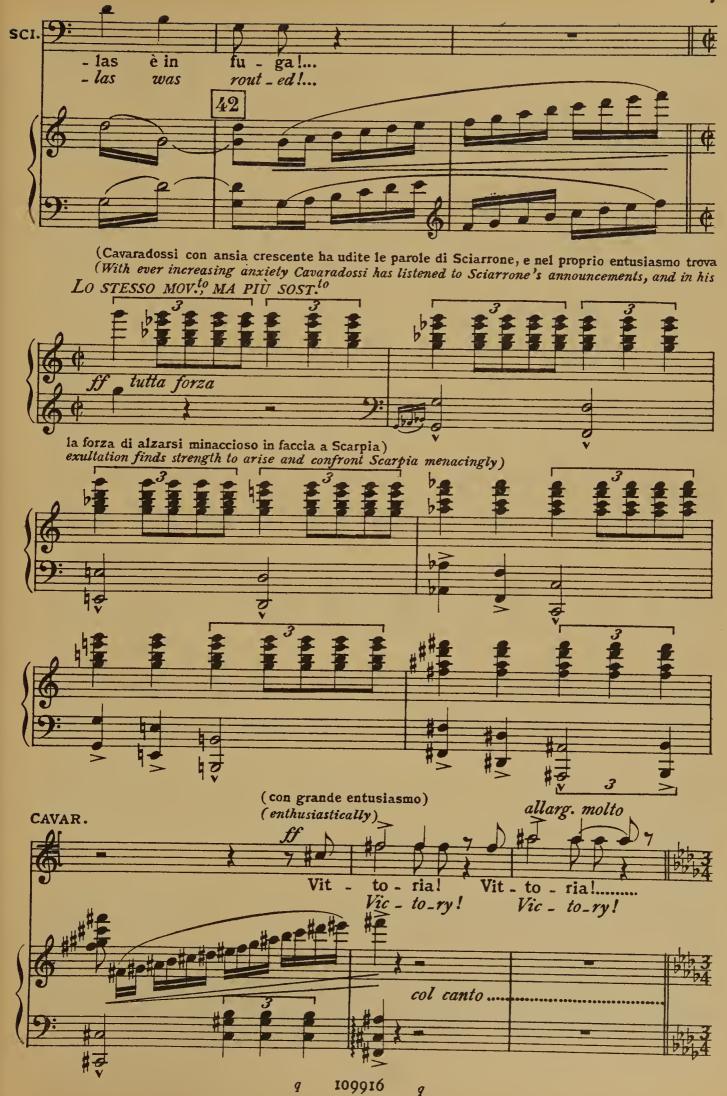




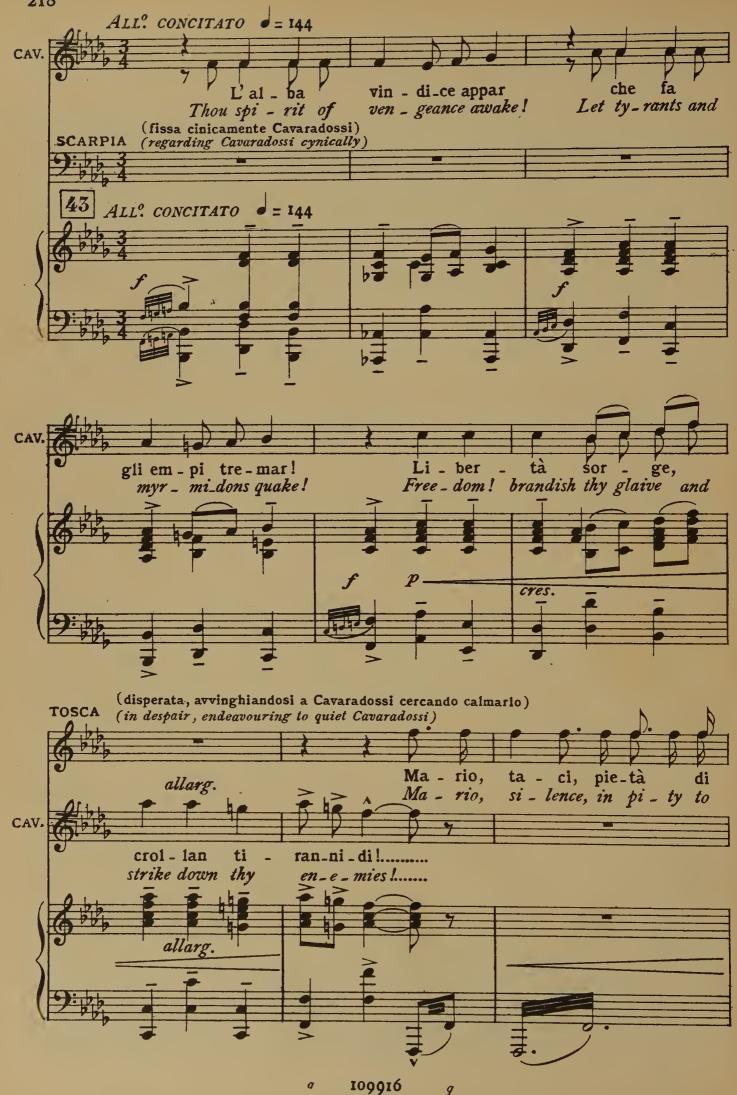


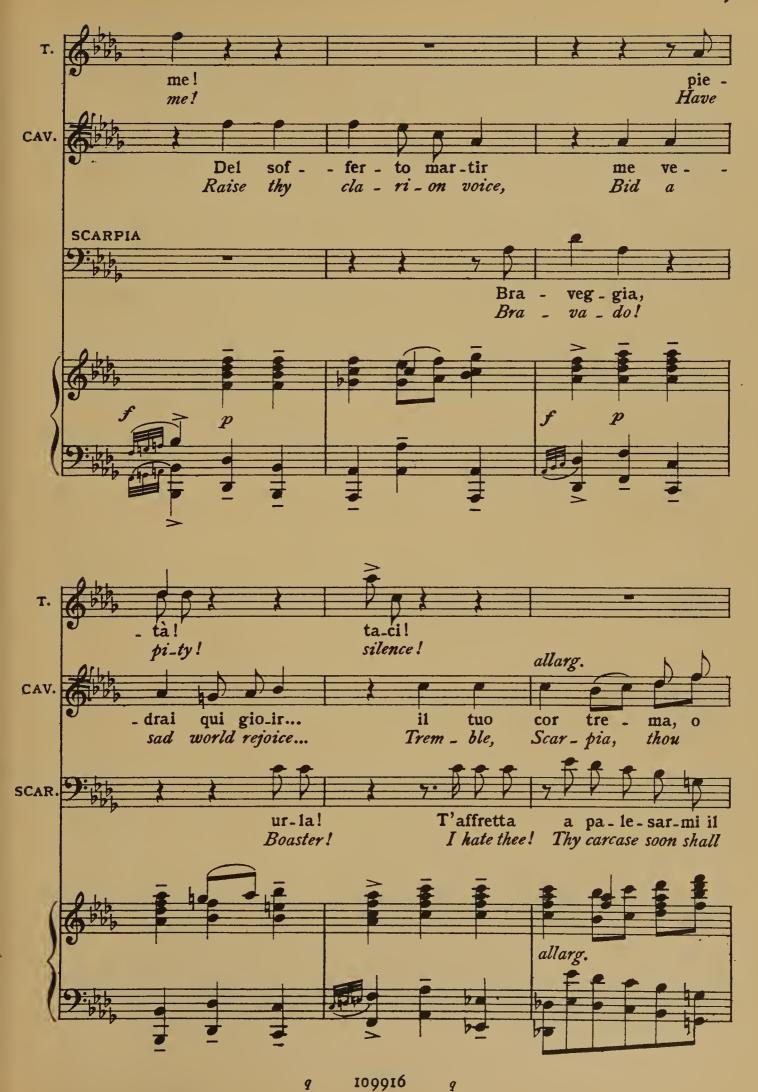


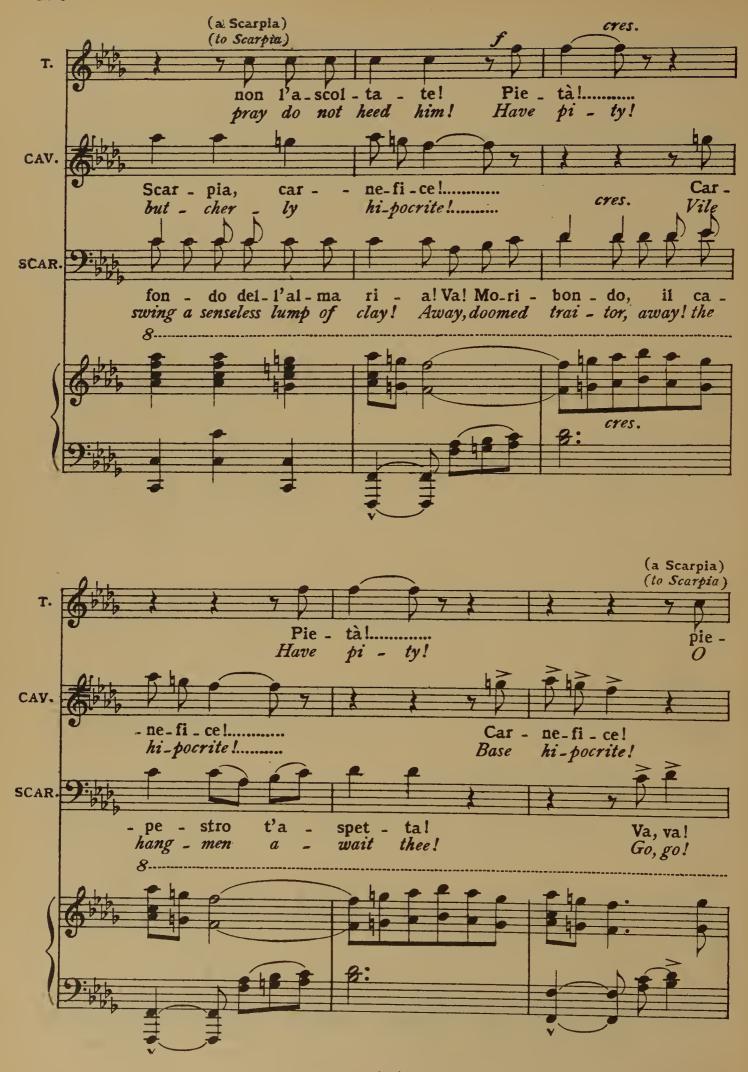


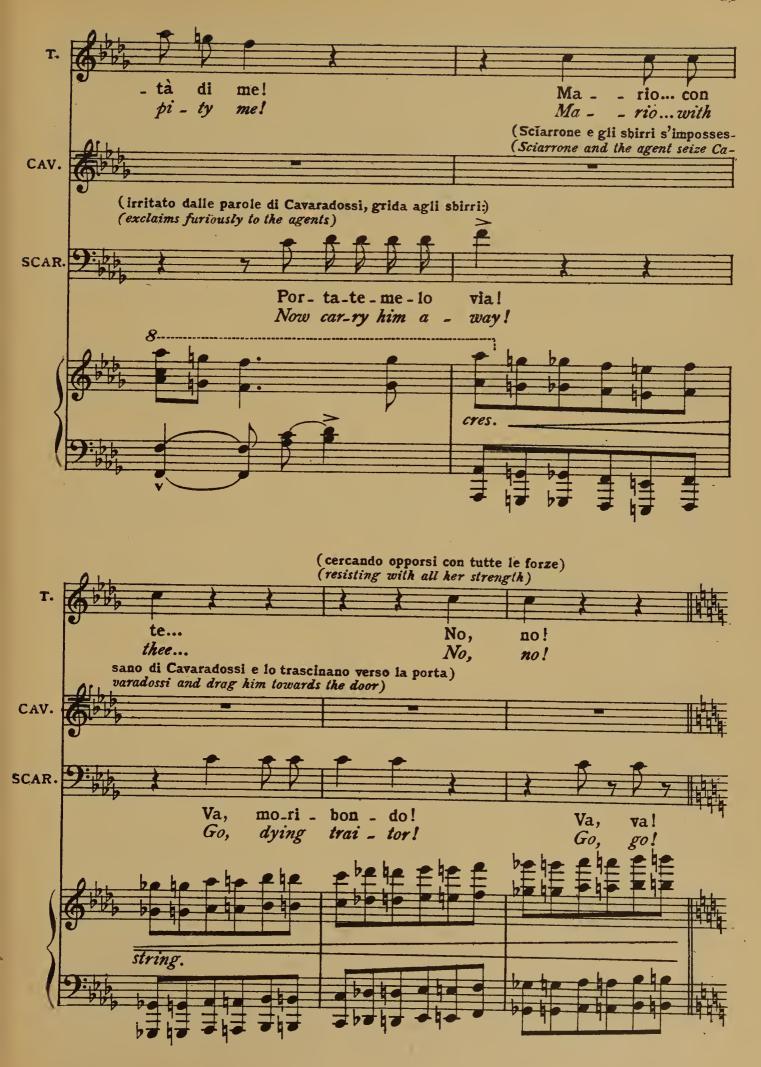




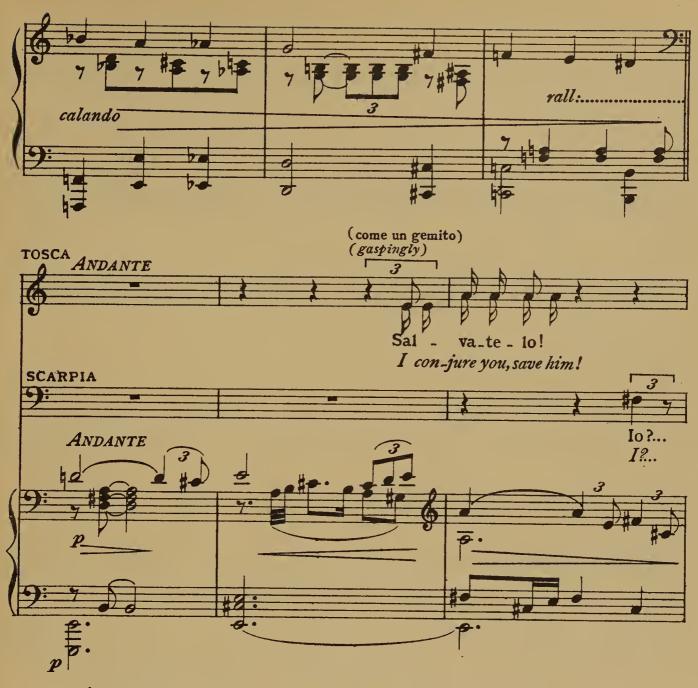








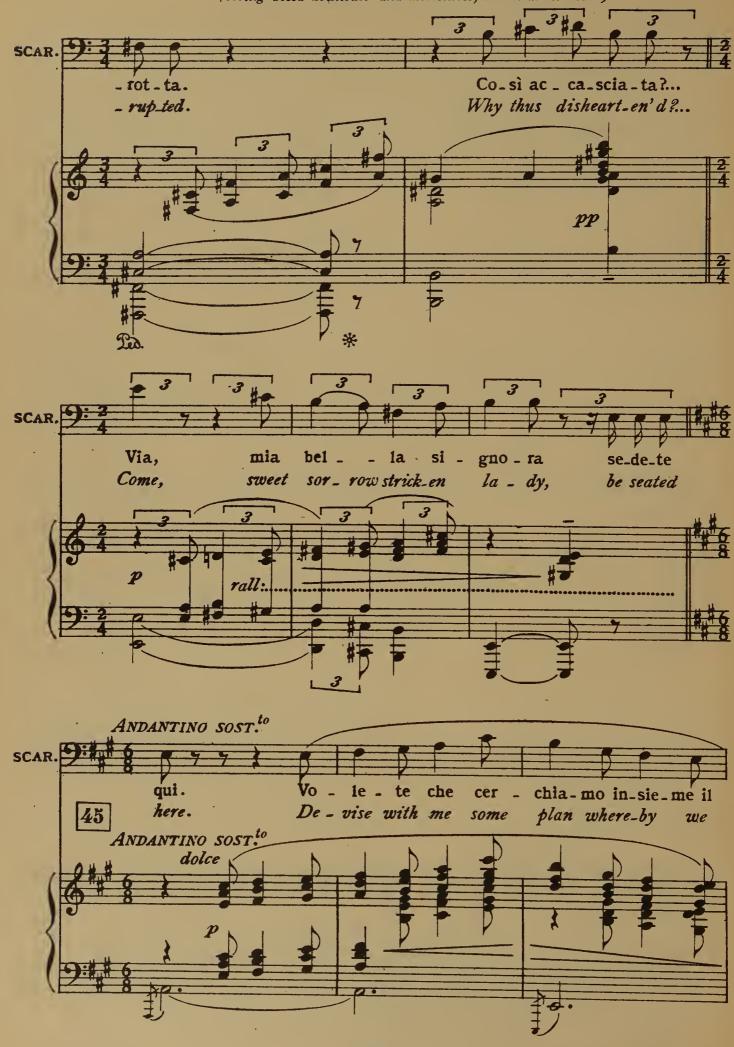


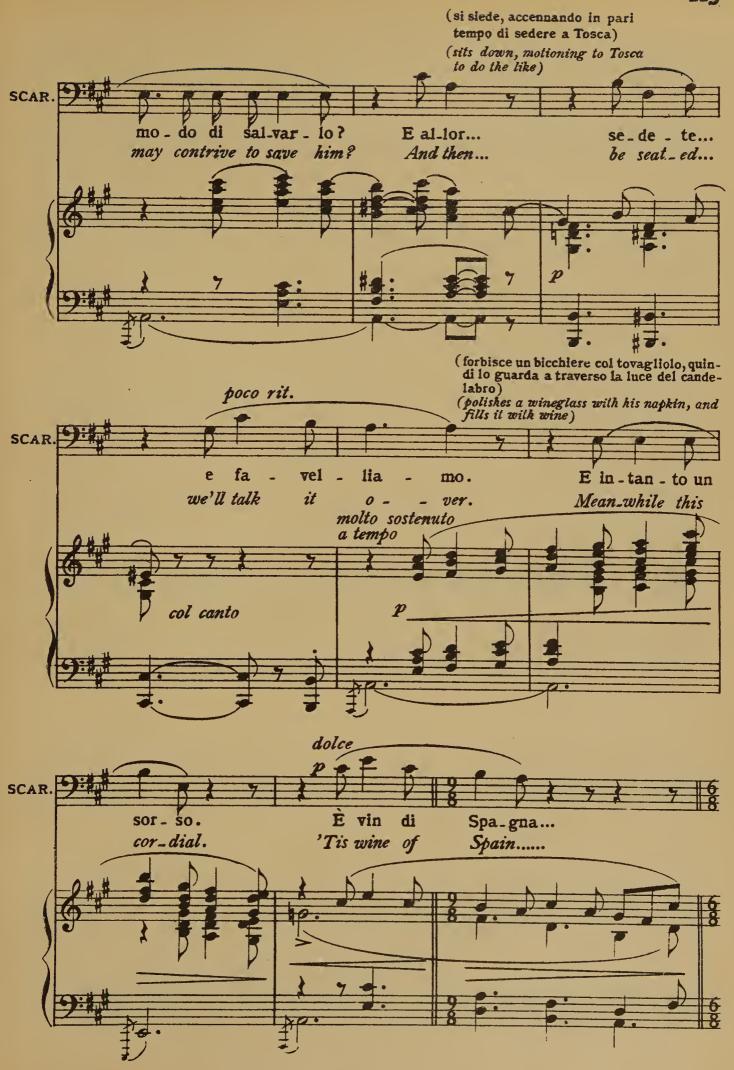


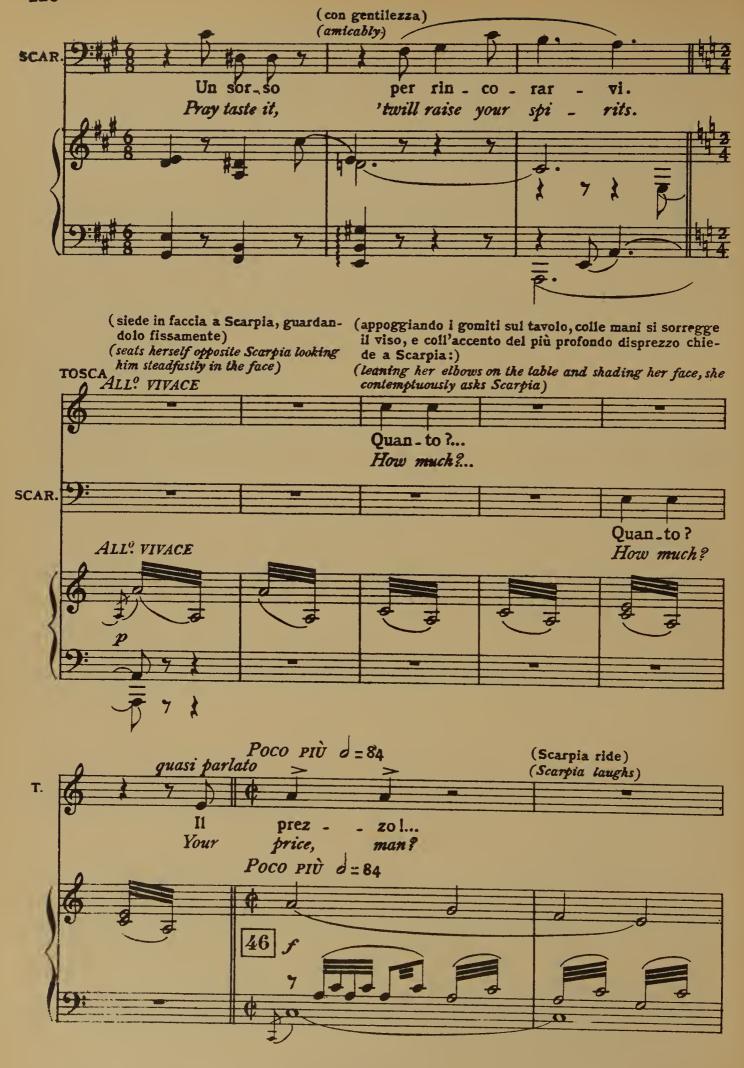
(si avvicina alla tavola, vede la sua cena interrotta e ritorna calmo e sorridente) (approaches the table as though to resume supping, but returns calm and smiling) rit.



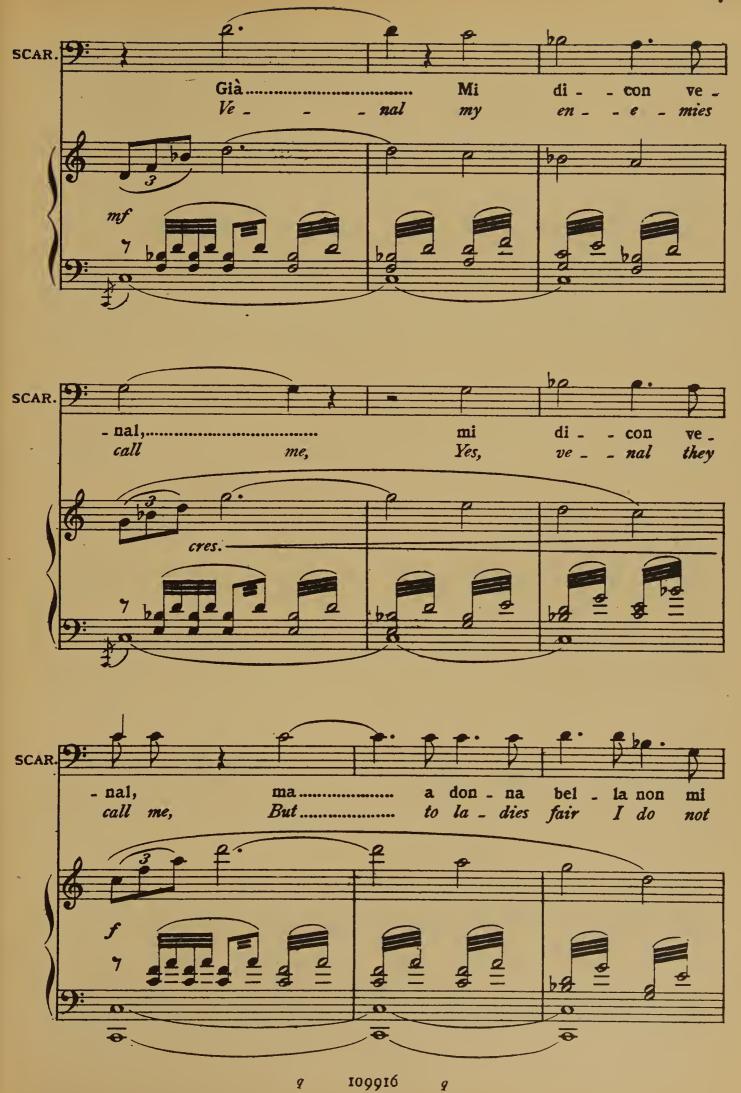
(vedendo Tosca abbattuta, immobile, ancora presso la porta) (seeing Tosca downcast and motionless, still near the door)

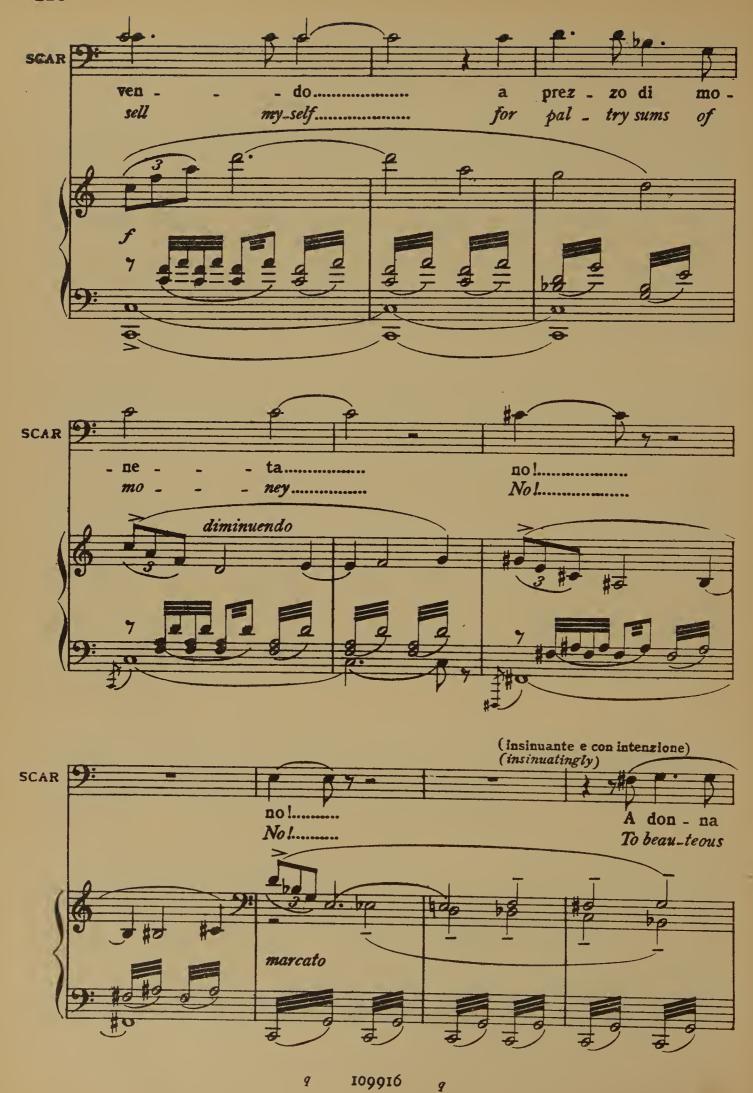




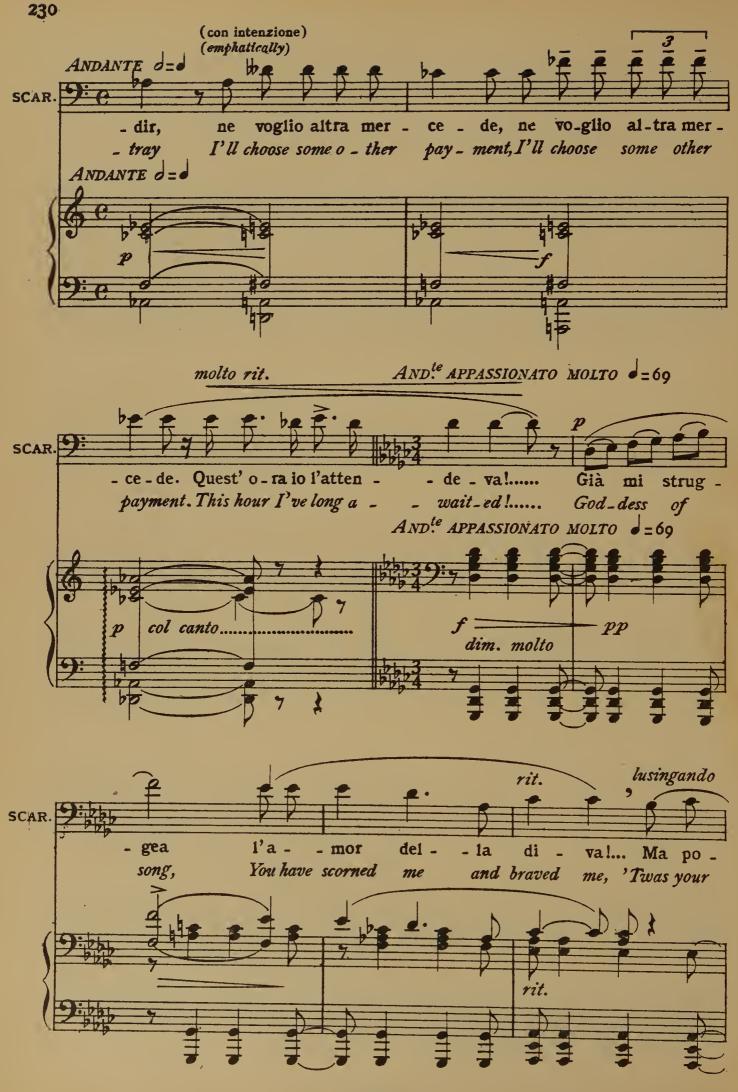


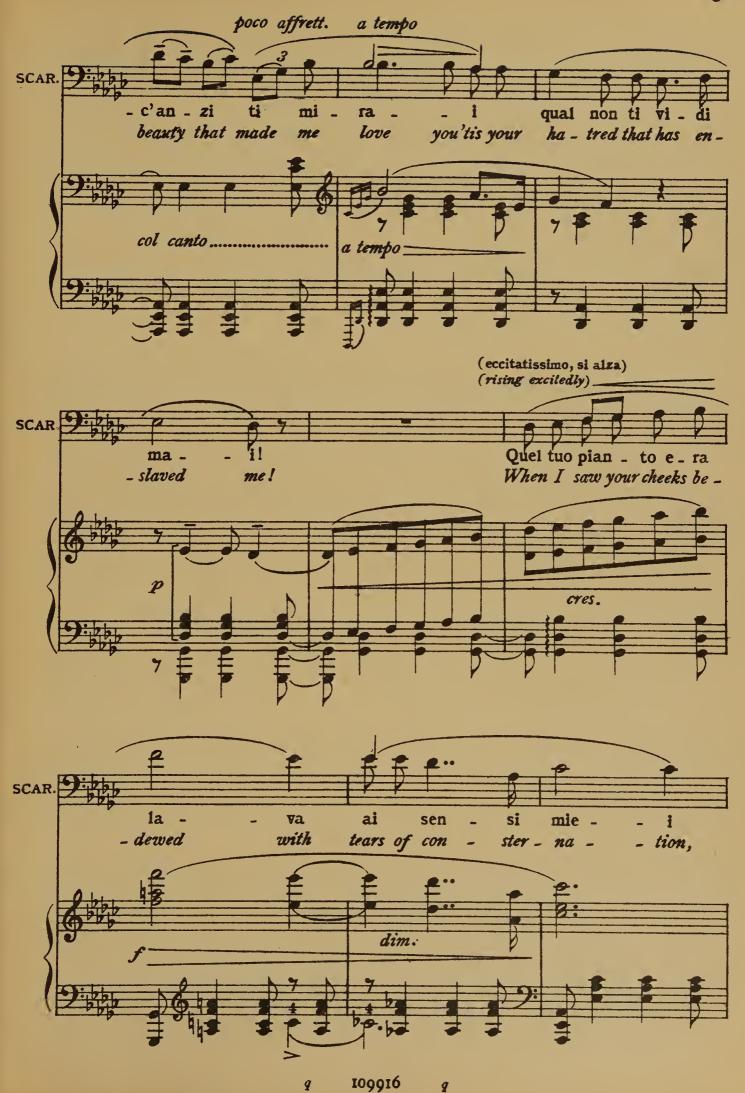


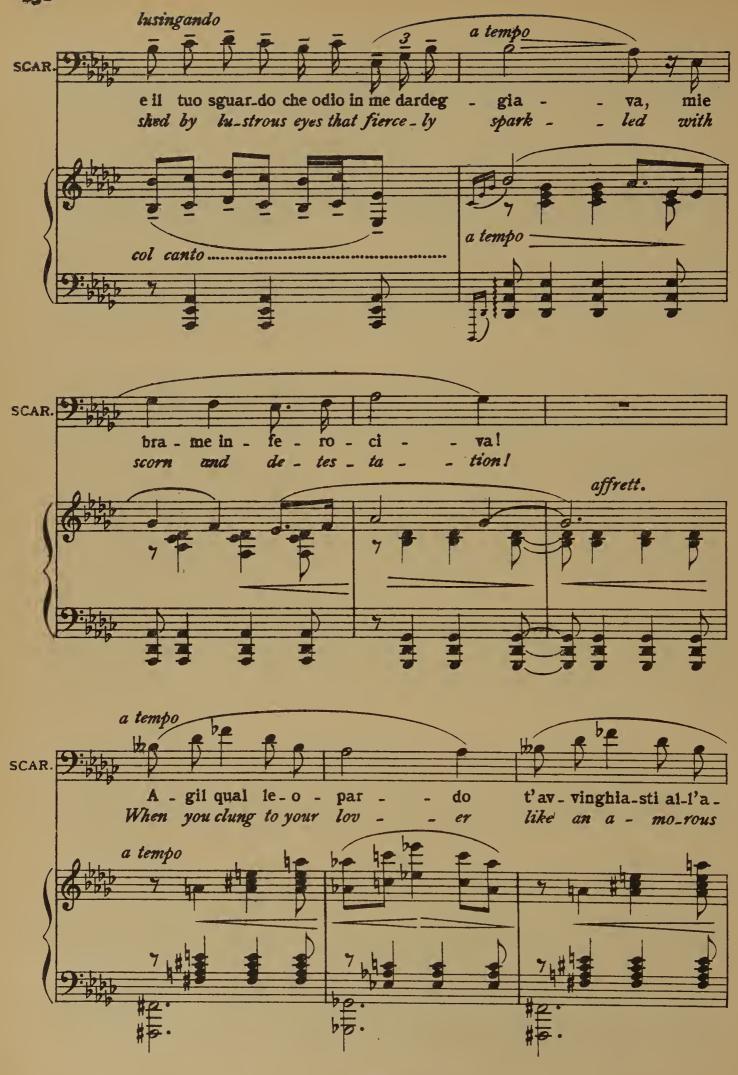


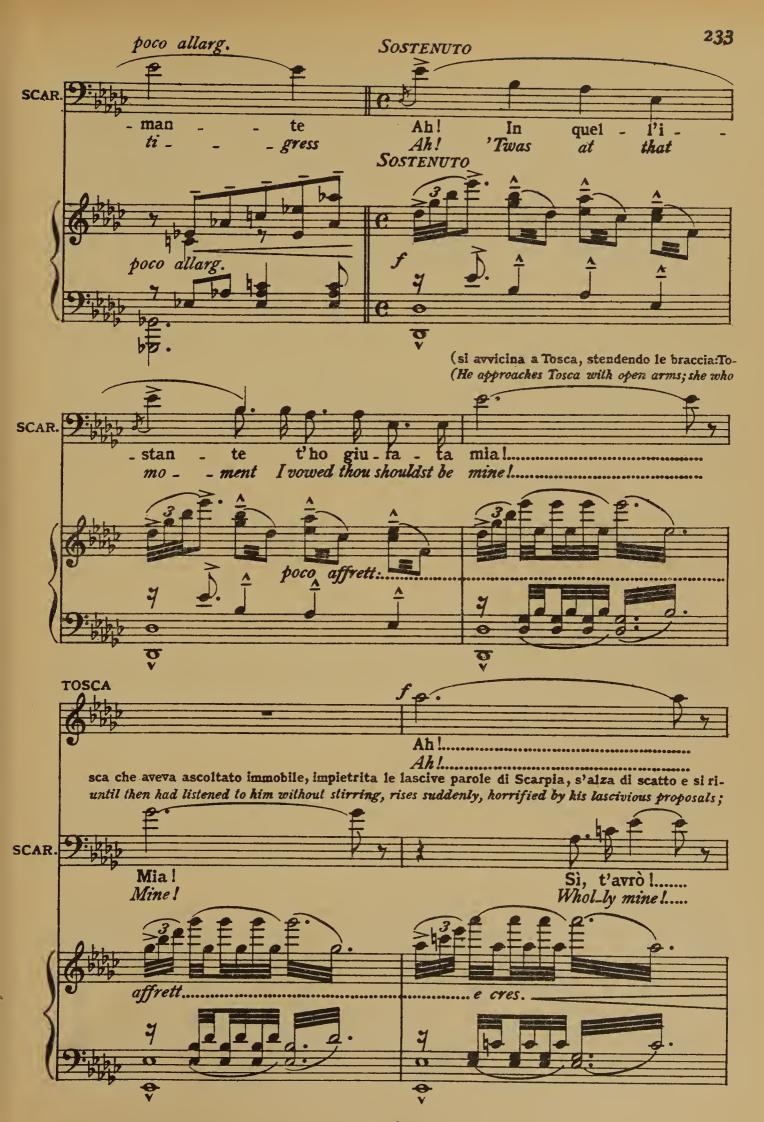


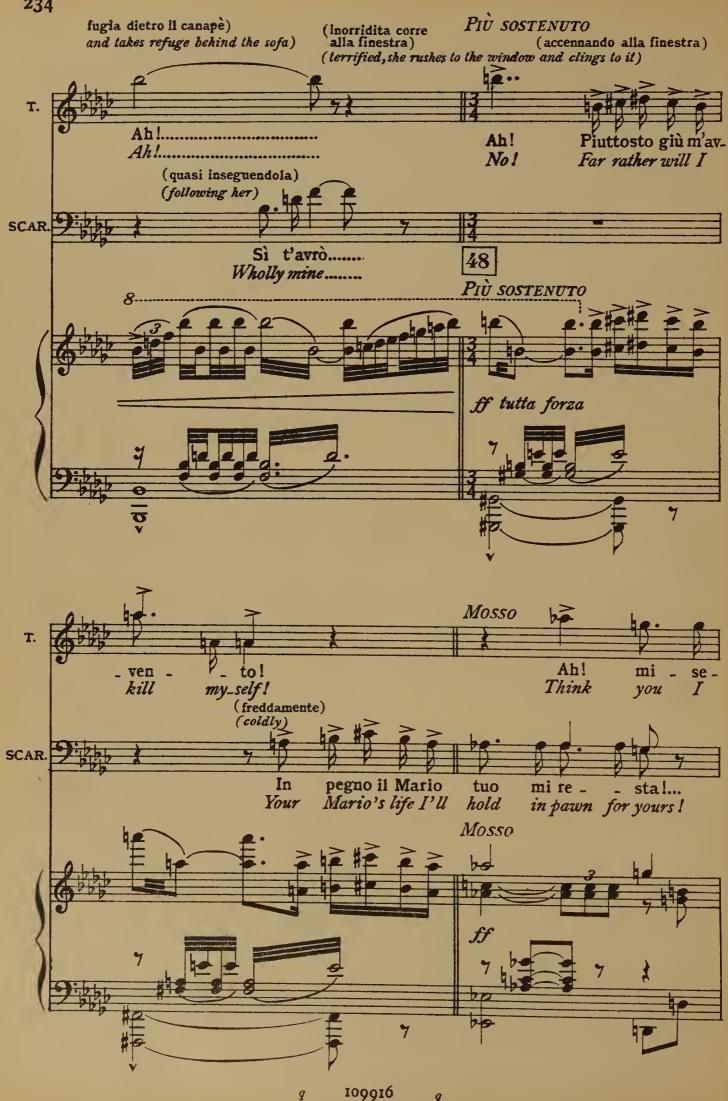


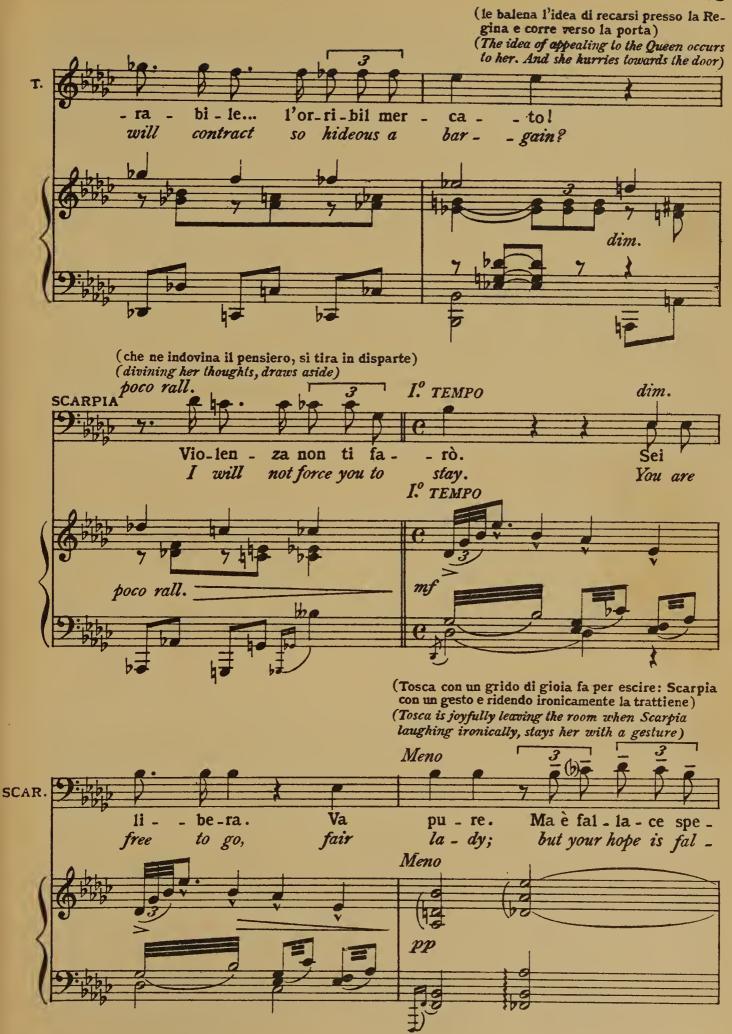


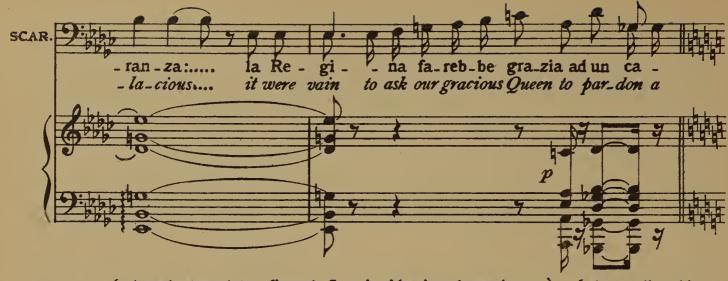






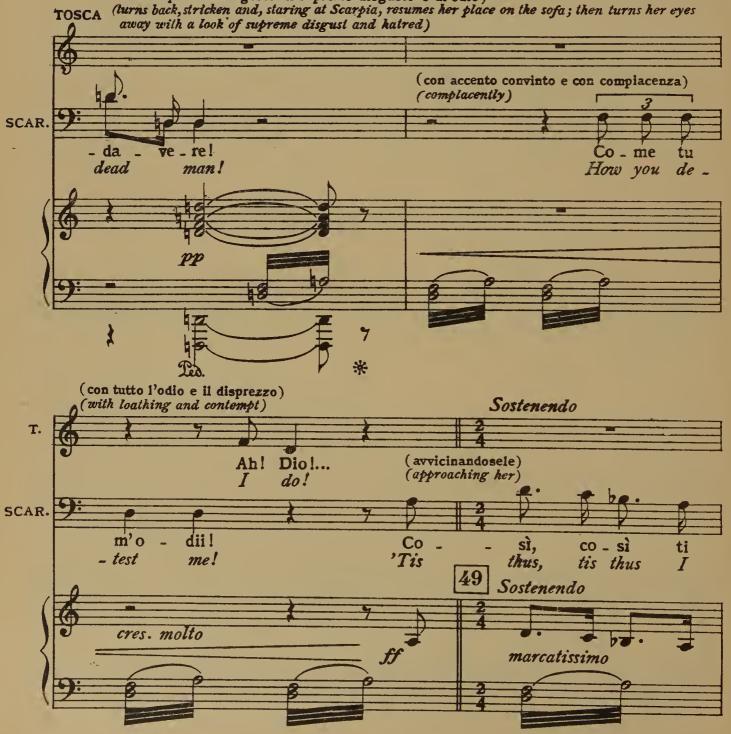


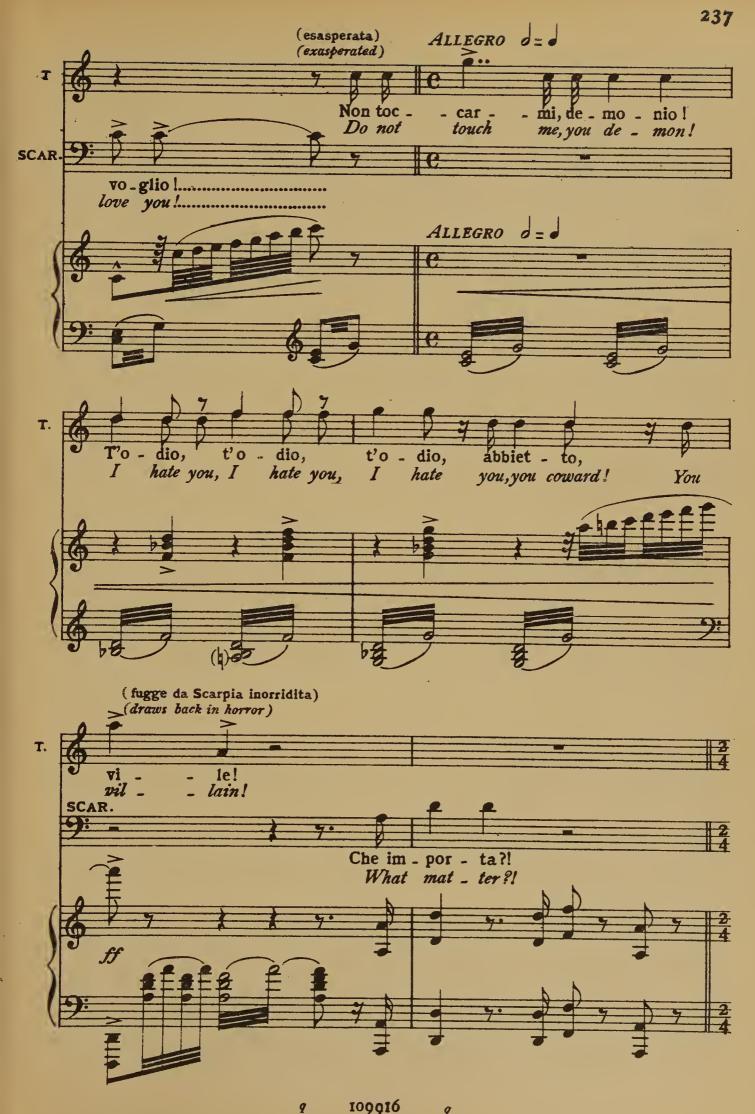


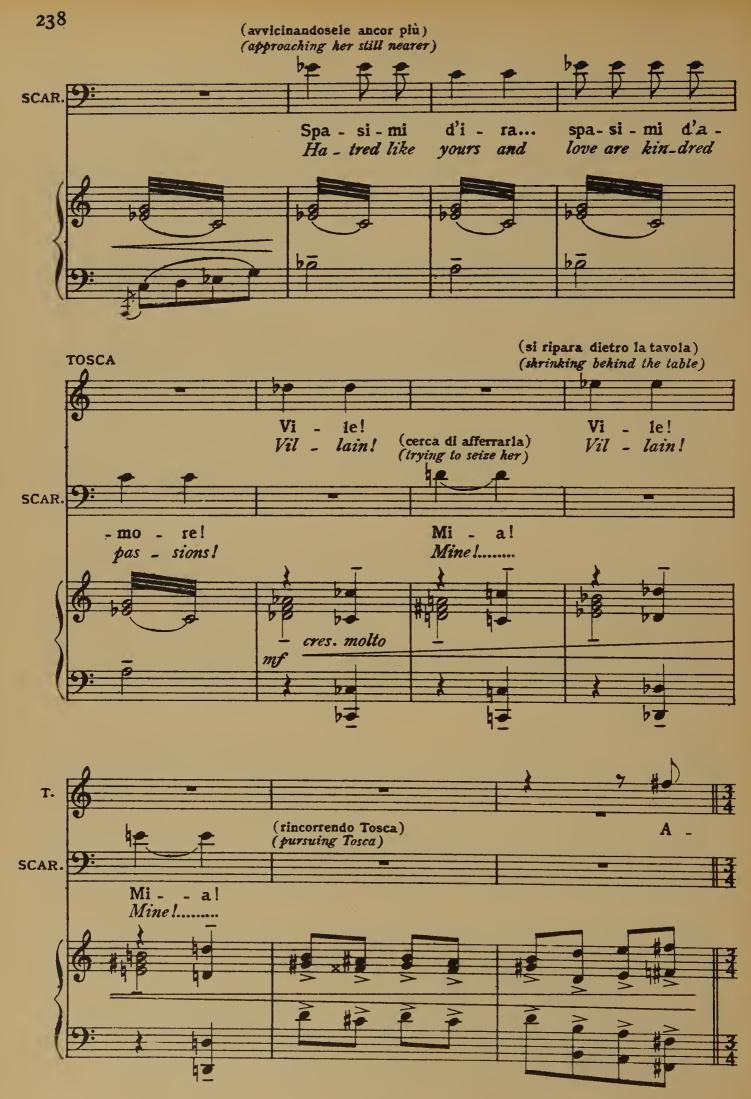


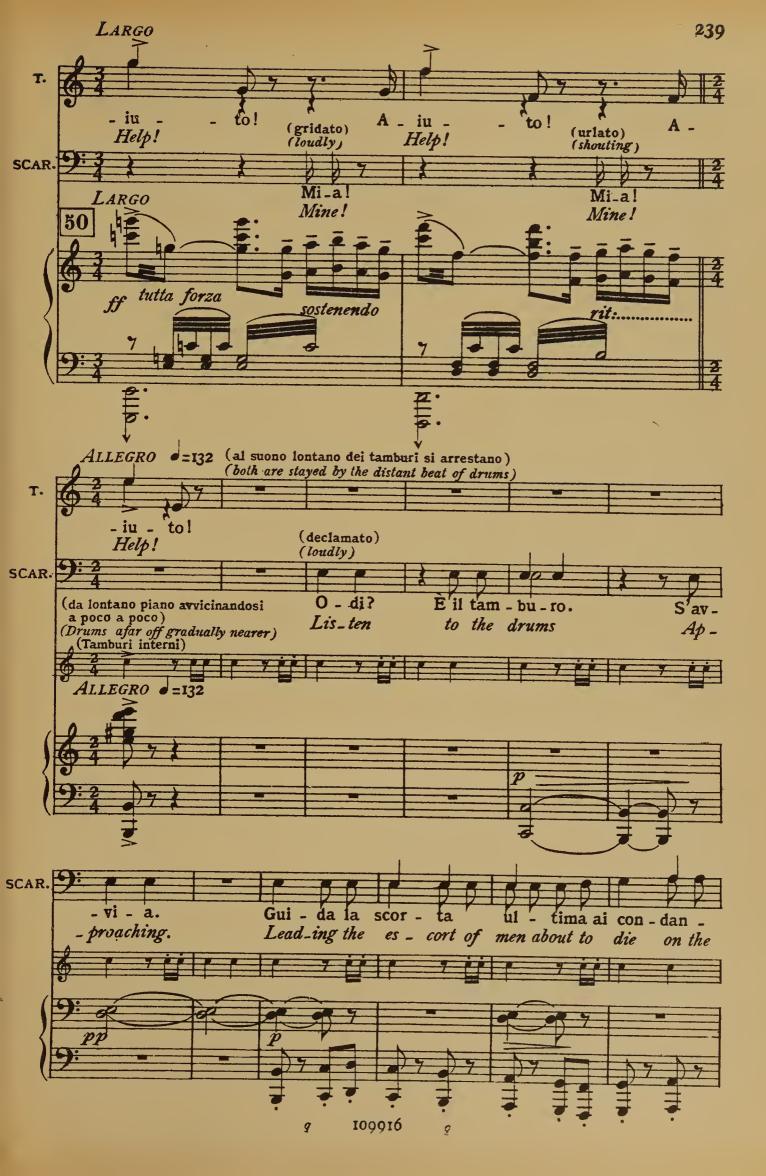
(retrocede spaventata e fissando Scarpia si lascia cadere sul canapè; poi stacca gli occhi da Scarpia con un gesto di supremo disgusto e di odio)

TOSCA (turns back, stricken and, staring at Scarpia, resumes her place on the sofa; then turns her eyes



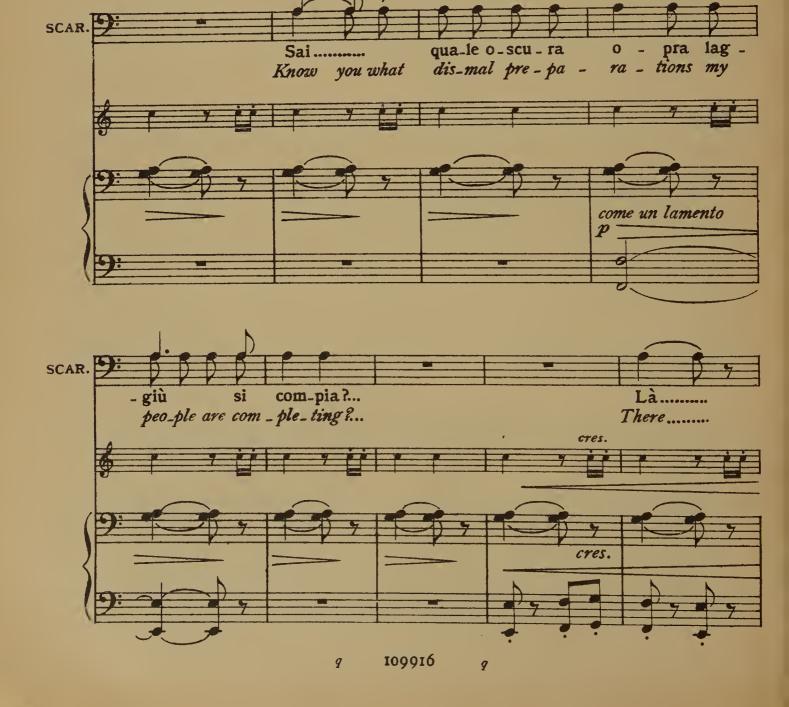


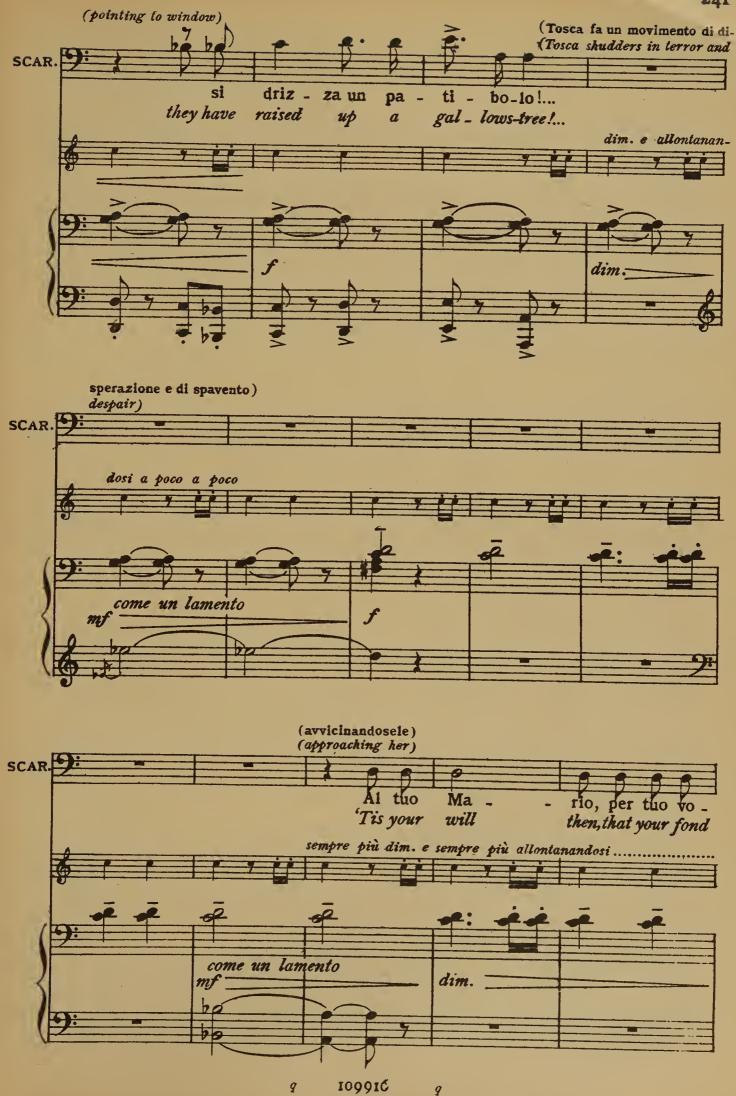


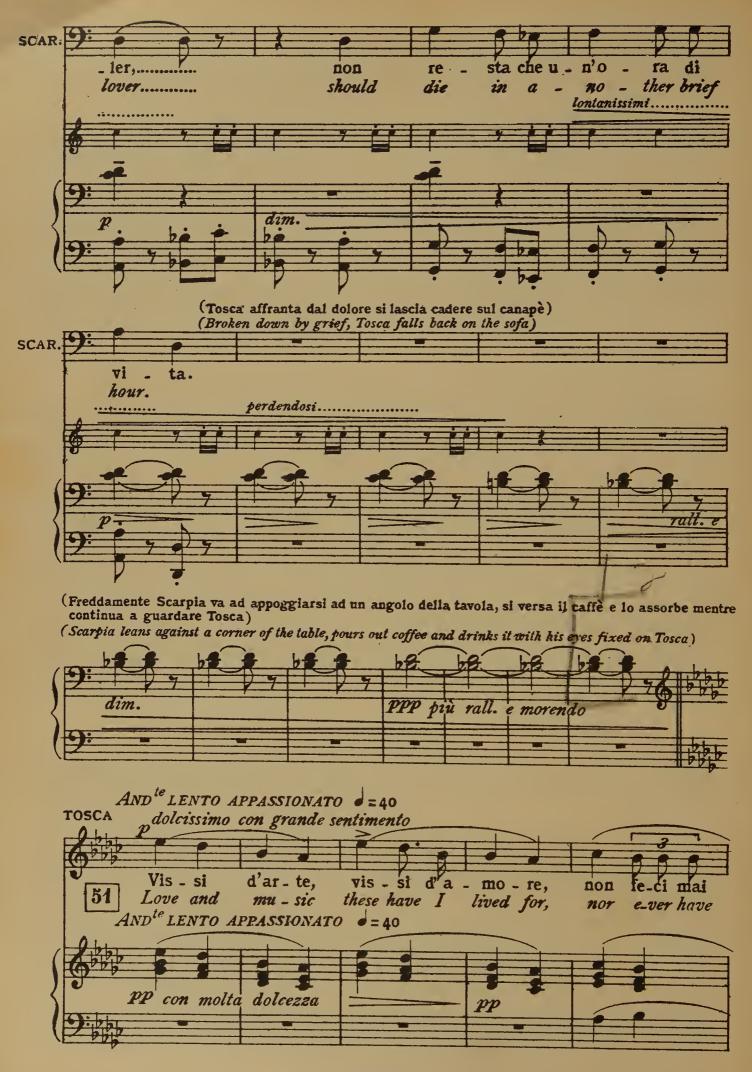


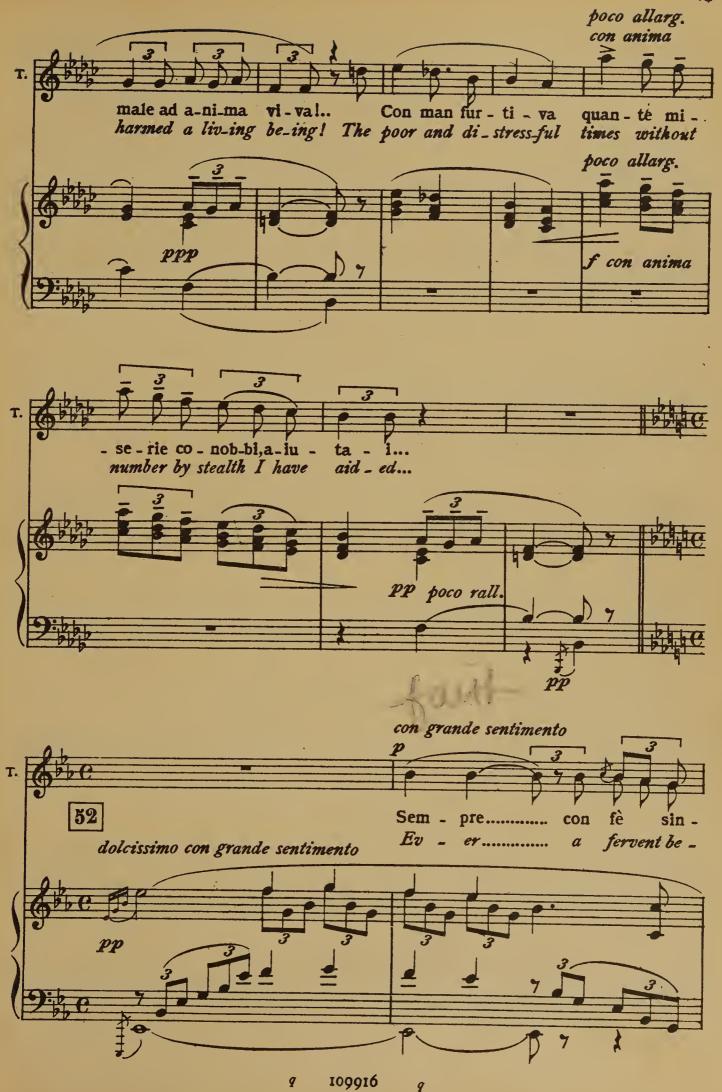


tato con ansia terribile, si allontana dalla finestra e si appoggia estenuata al canapè) anxiously to the drums, retires from the window, and leans wearily on the sofa)

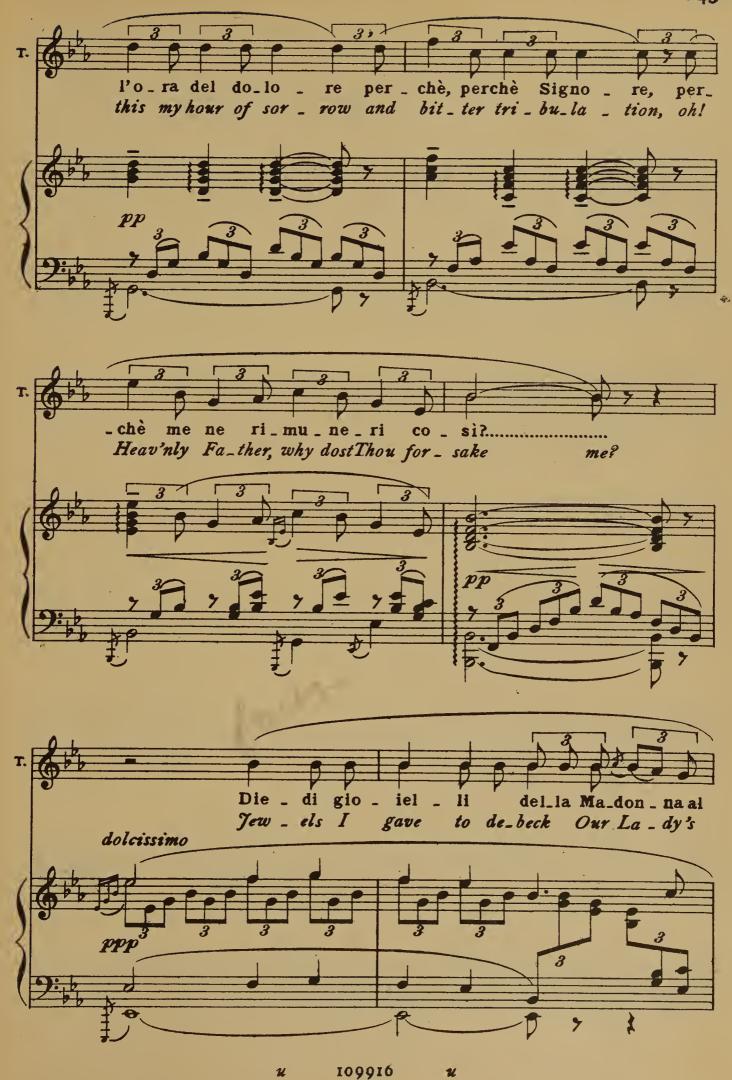




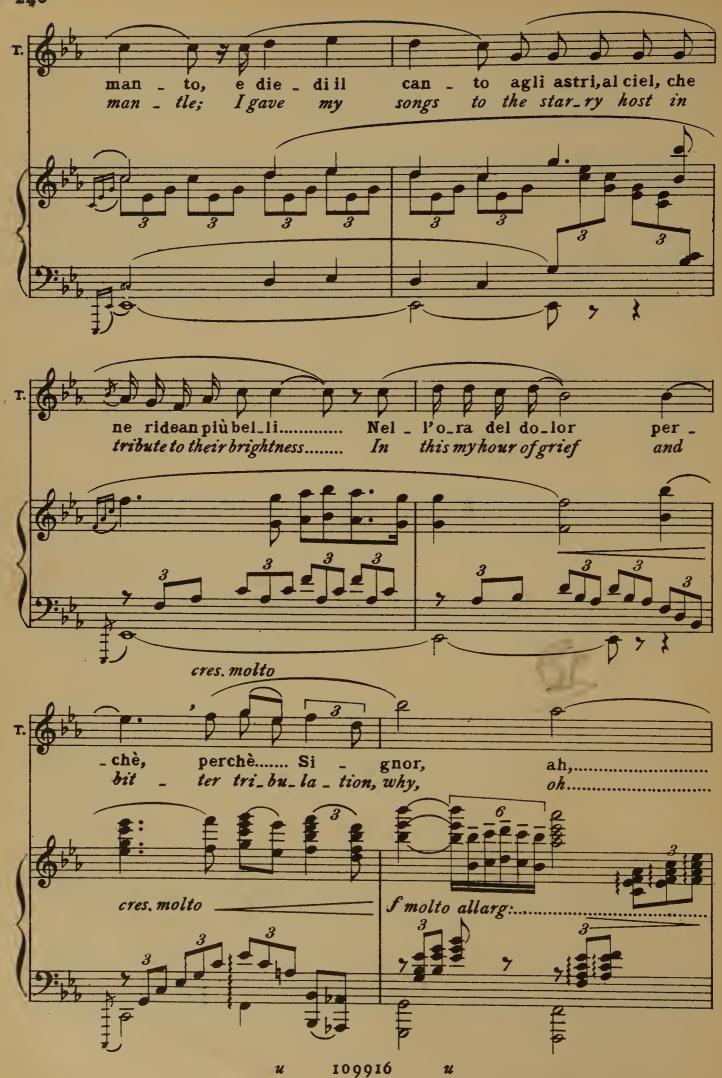












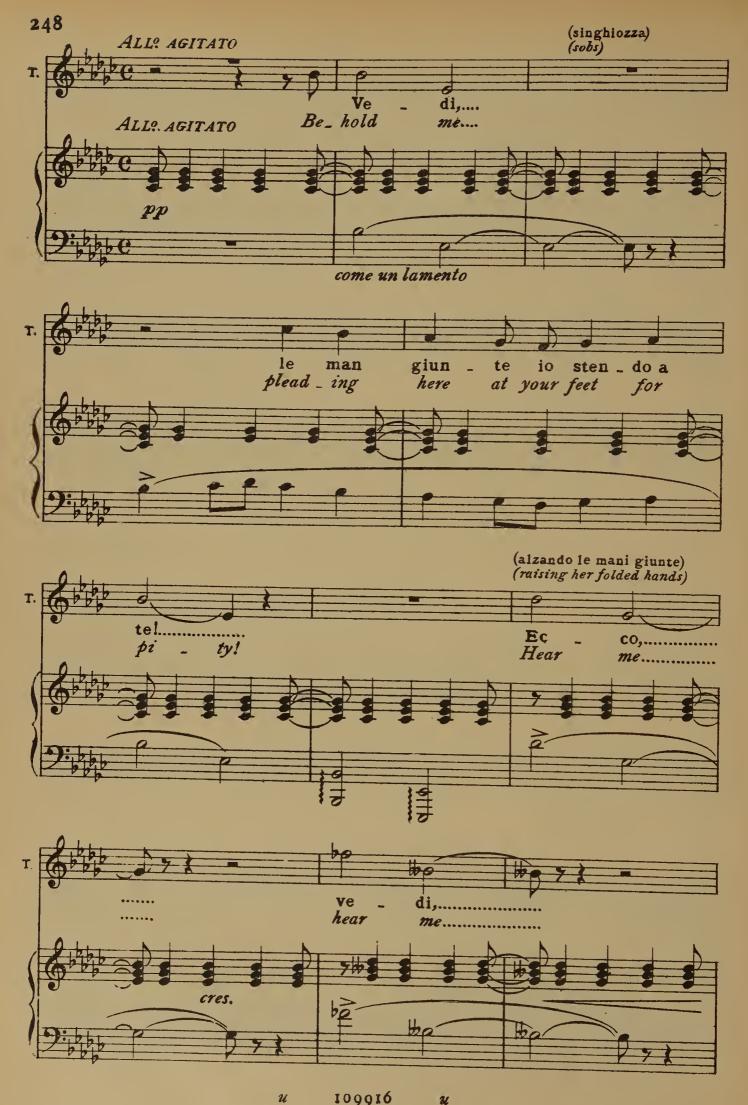


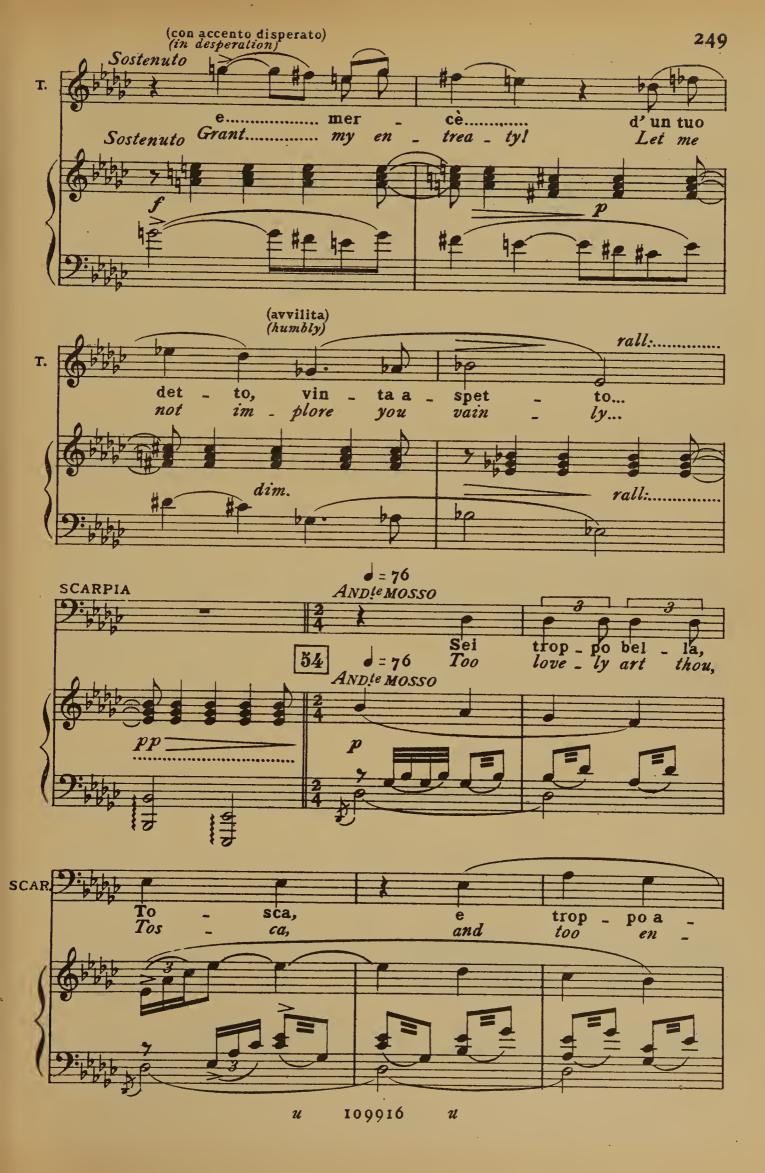


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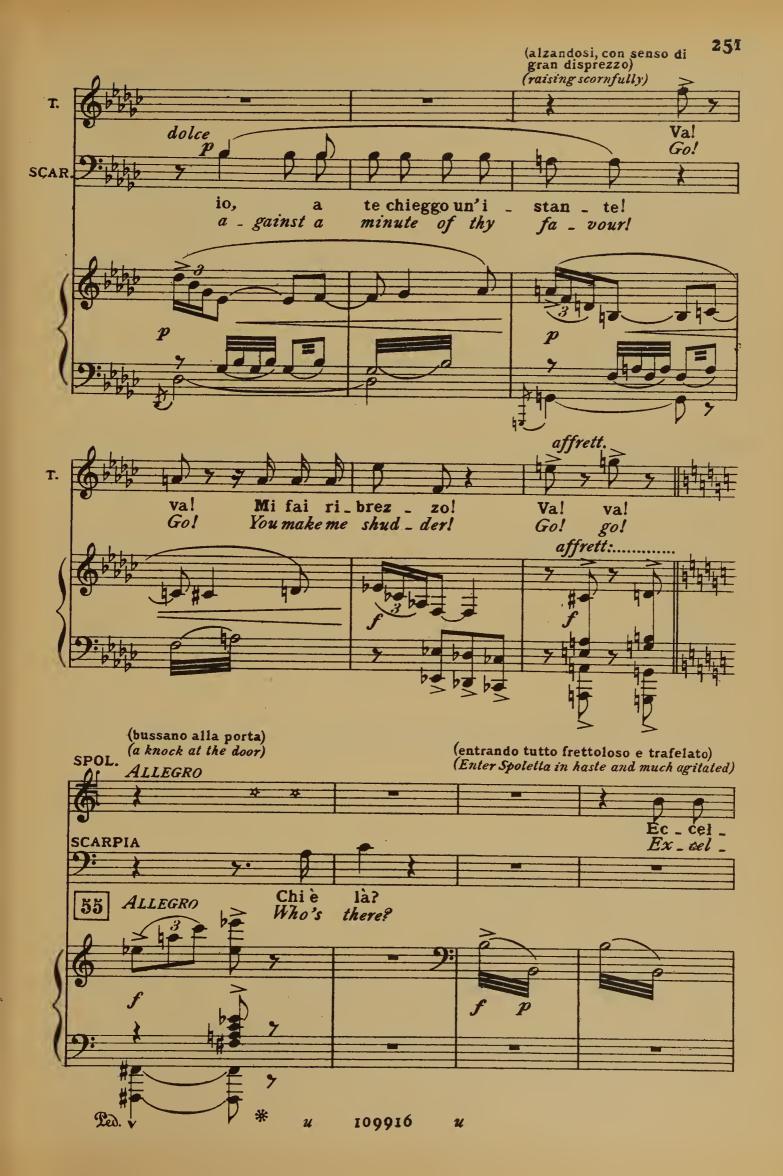
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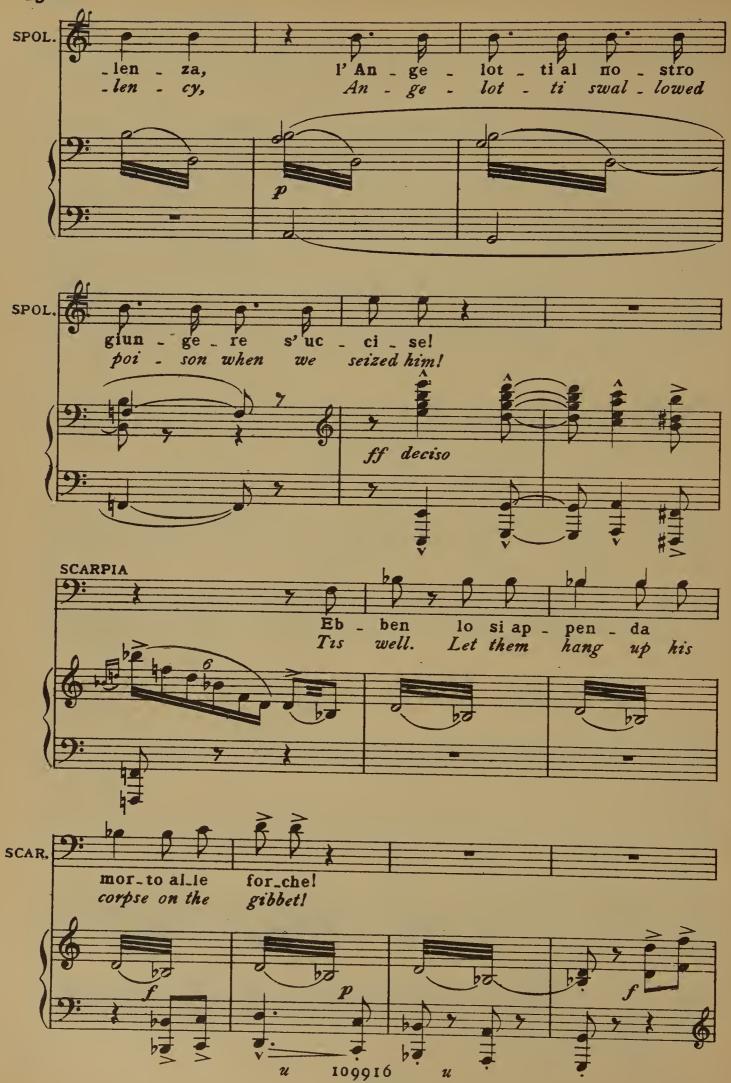


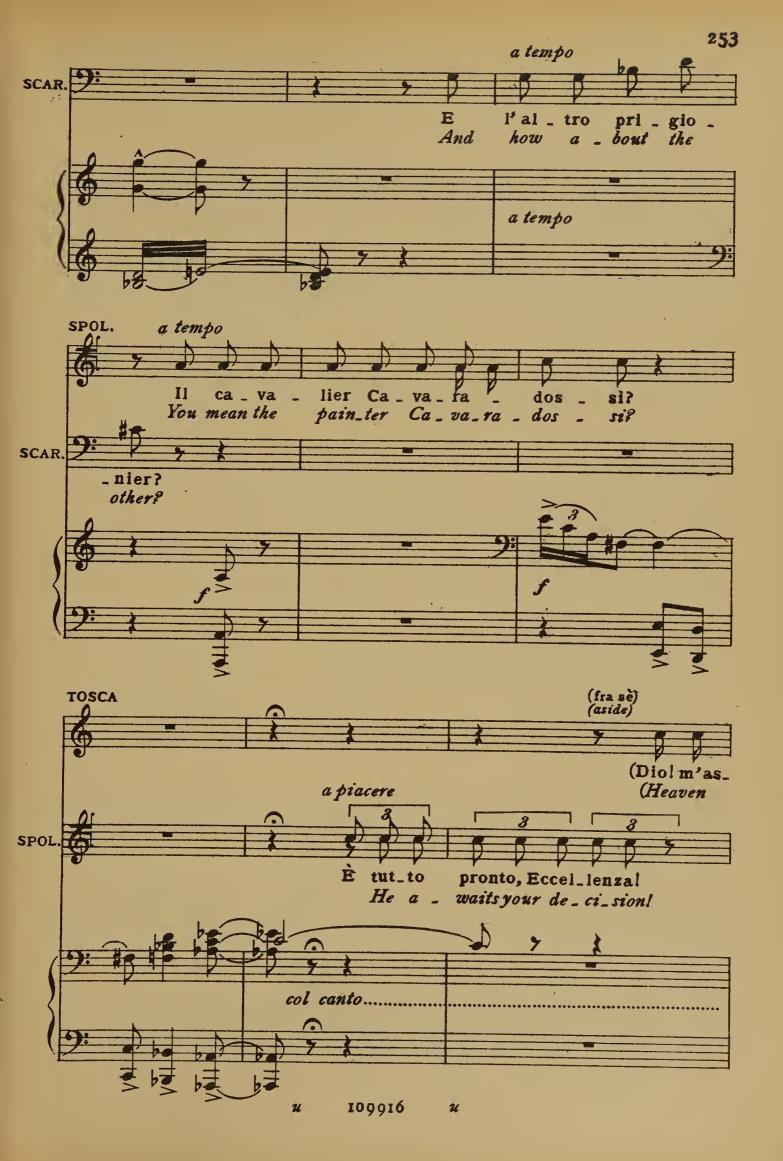


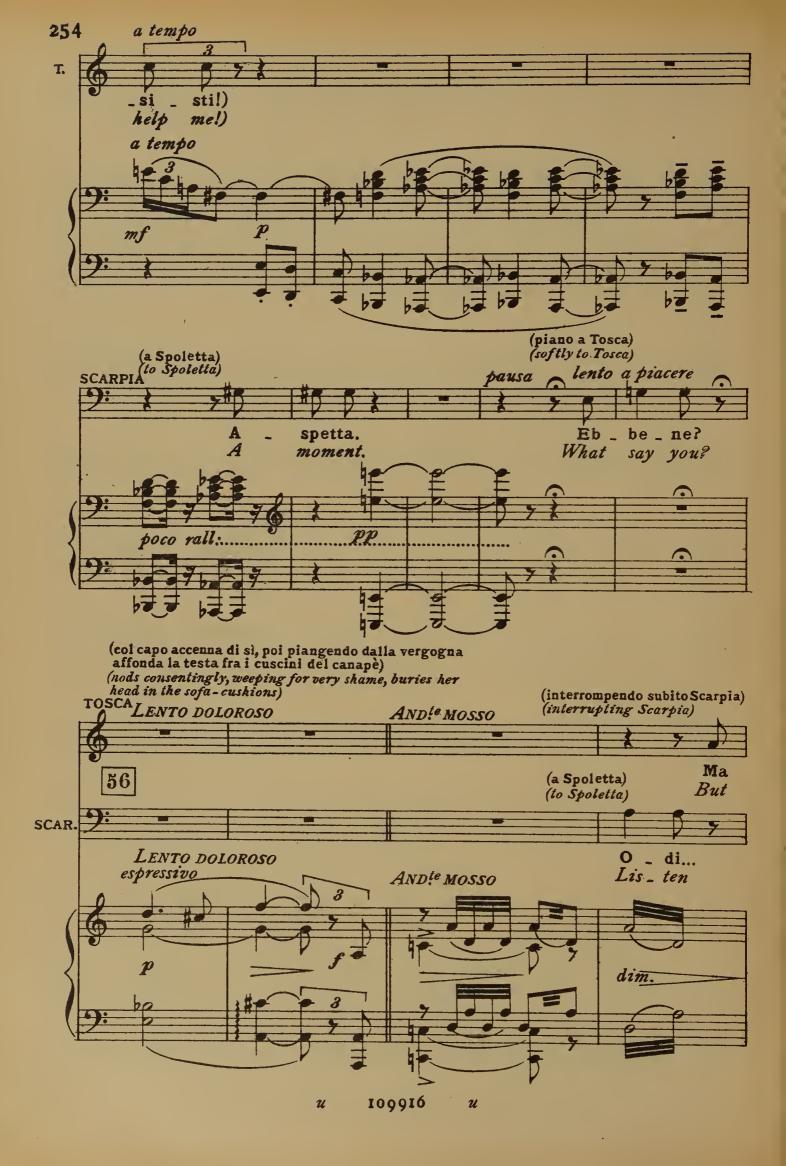




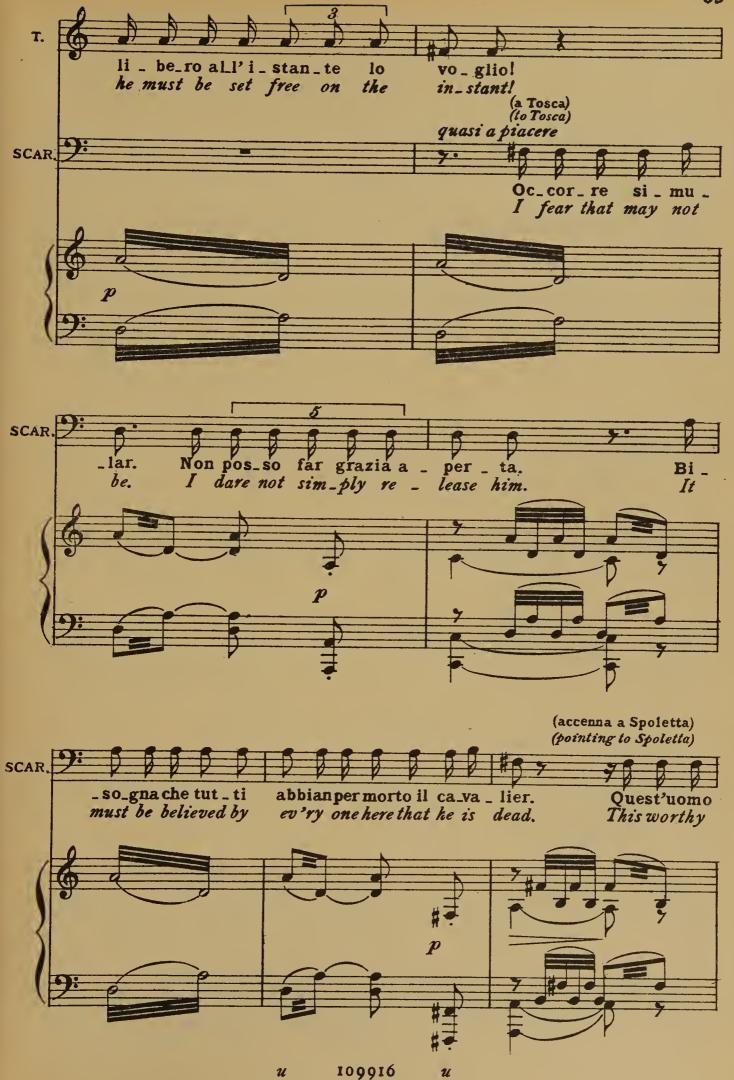


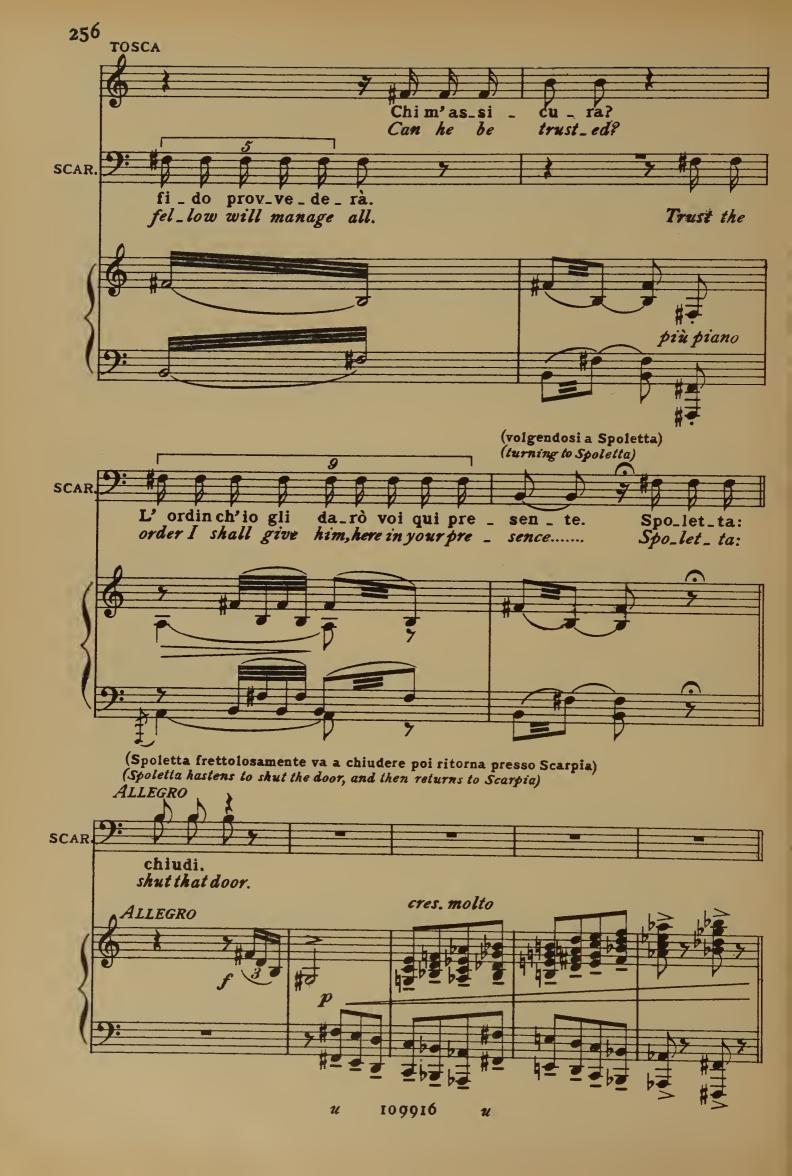






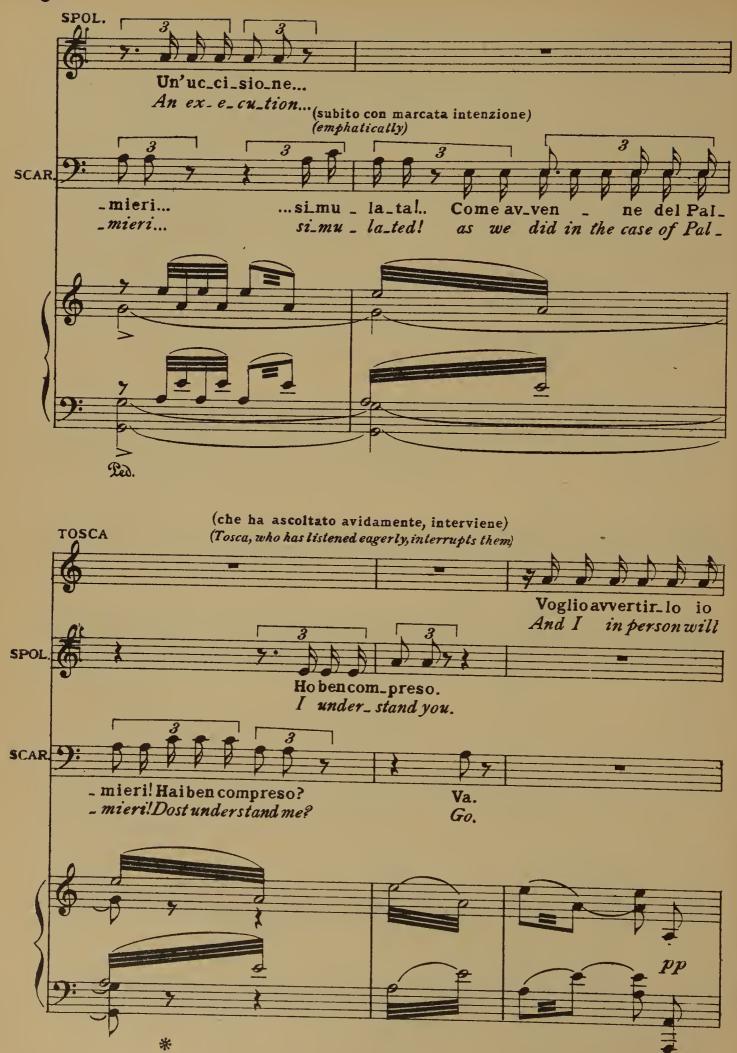


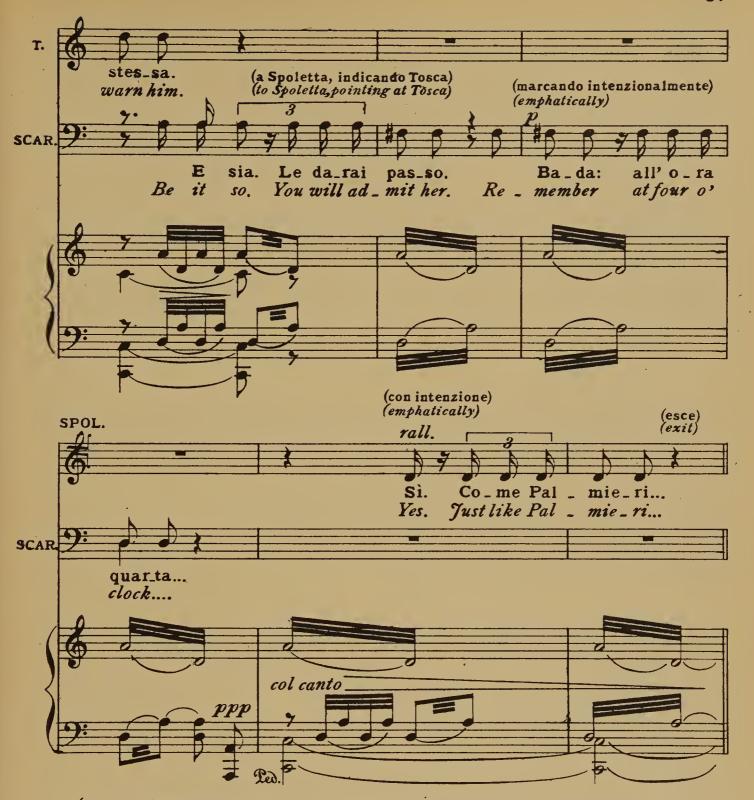




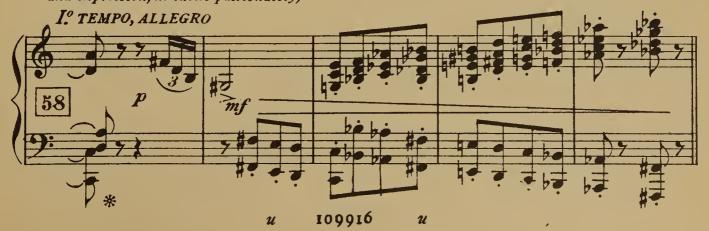
257 (fissa con intenzione Spoletta che accenna replicatamente (looking fixedly at Spoletta who repeatedly indicates, by nods, IO TEMPO MA SOST, to SCAR. Ho mu_ta_to d'av_vi_so...... IO TEMPO MA SOST.to I have altered my purpose..... 57 col capo di indovinare il pensiero di Scarpia) that he understands Scarpia's meaning) SCAR. nier sia fu ci la to.

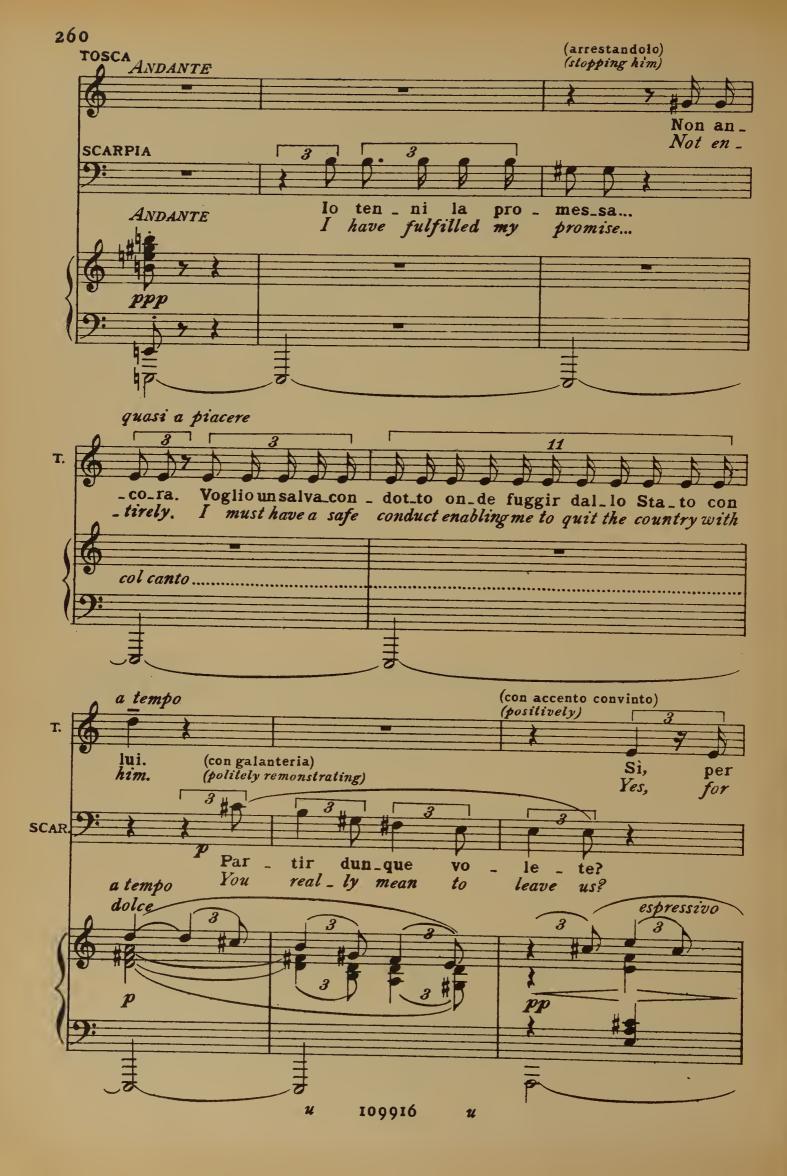
dos si will be shot!..... Il pri_gio _ nier Ca_va_ra _ Sostenendo Pe cupo SCAR Co_me fa cemmo del con_te at_tention just as we did in the case of Paldim:

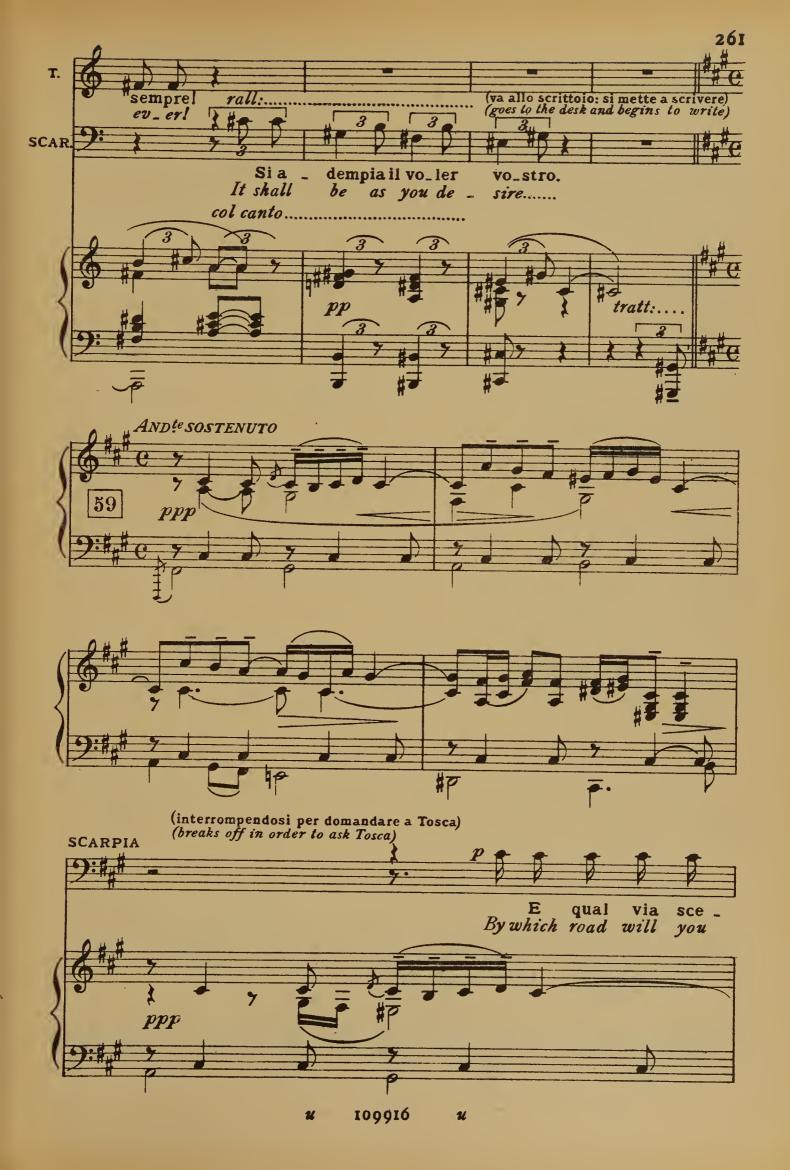


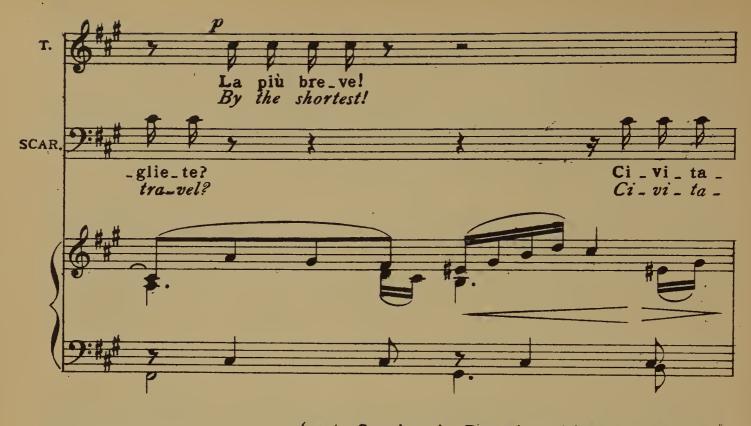


(Scarpia, ritto presso la porta, ascolta Spoletta allontanarsi, poi trasformato nel viso e nei gesti si avvicina con grande passione a Tosca)
(Scarpia, standing by the door, listens to Spoletta's retreating steps. Then, changing his manner and expression, he turns passionately)









(mentre Scarpia scrive, Tosca si e avvicinata alla tavola e col.

(While Scarpia, is writing. Tosca approaches the table and with a

T.

Si.

Yes.

Scar.

Vecchia?

-vecchia?

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la mano tremante prende il bicchiere di vino versato da Scarpia, ma nel portare il bicchiere trembling hand takes up the glassfilled with wine by Scarpia, and, as she raises it to her lips, perceives



alle labbra, scorge sulla tavola un coltello affilato ed a punta; dà una rapida occhiata a Scarpia che in quel momento è occupato a scrivere - e con infinite precauzioni cerca d'impossetsarsi del a sharp, pointed knife eging on the table - cloth. She casts u rupid glance at Scarpia still occupied at the



coltello, che poi dissimula dietro di sè, appoggiandosi alla tavola e sempre sor regliando Scarpia. desk, and with infinite caution takes possession of the knife, which she hides behind her, leaning on the ta__



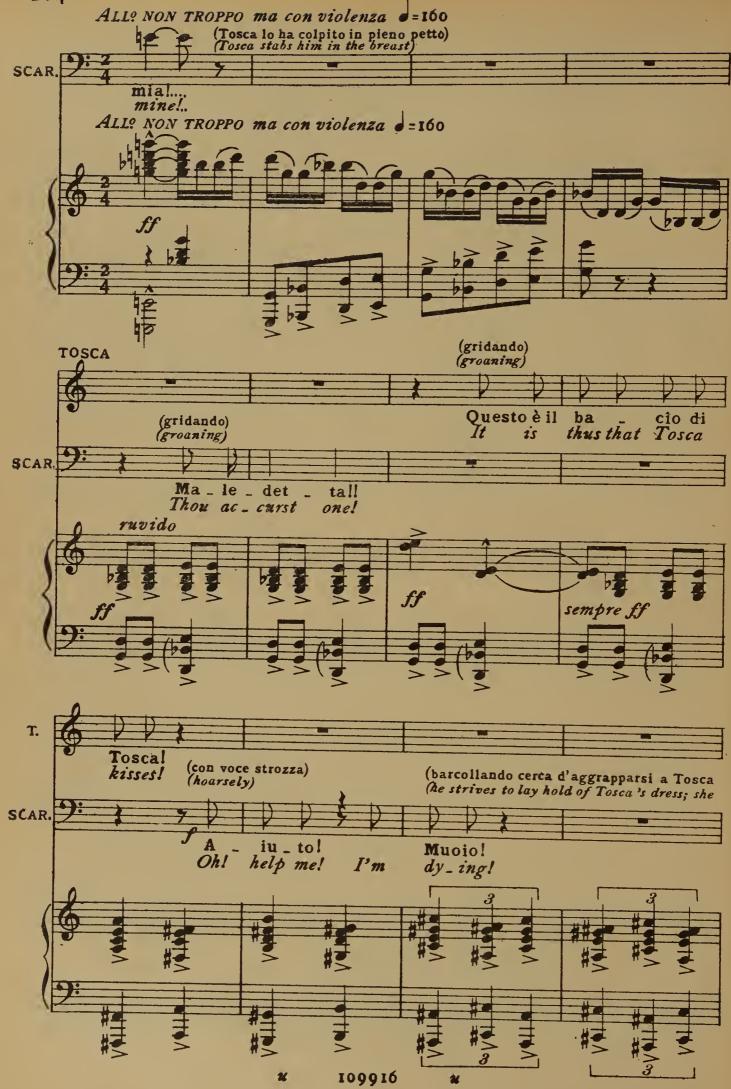
Questi ha finito di scrivere il salvacondotto, vi mette il sigillo, ripiega il foglio; quindi aprendo

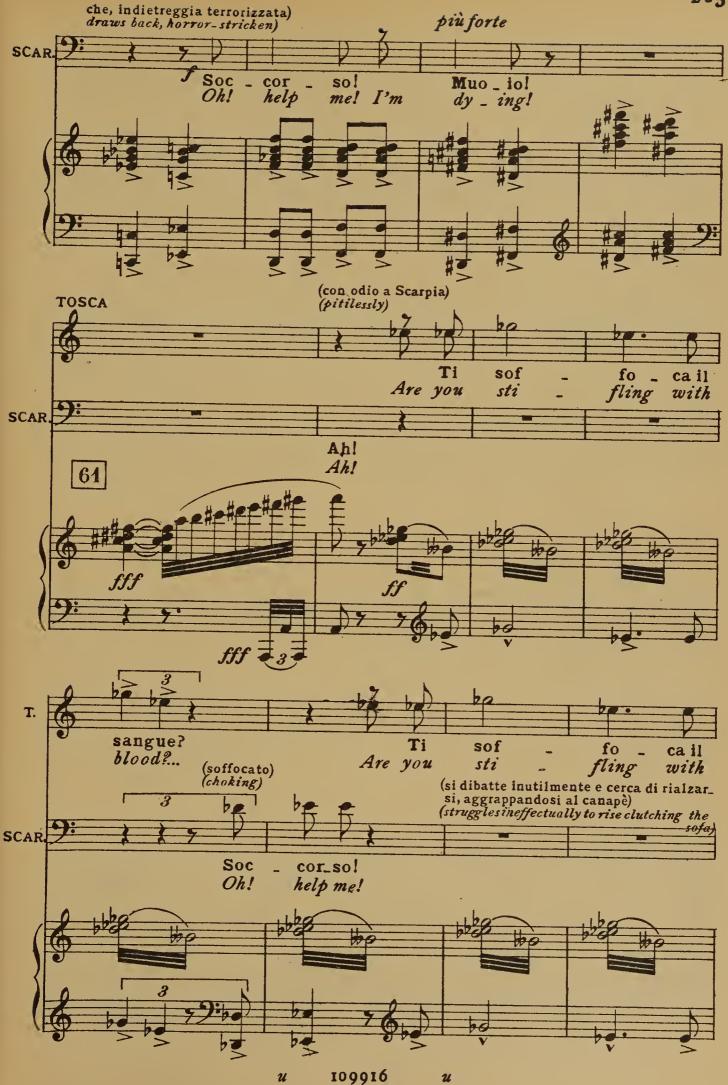


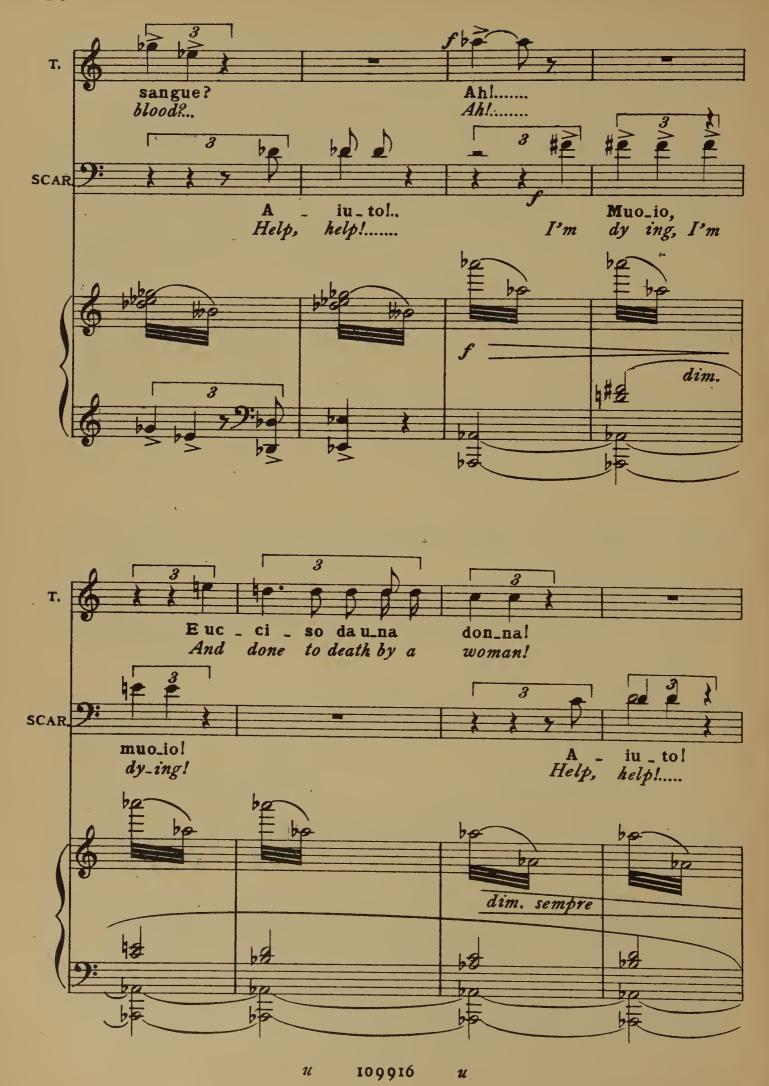


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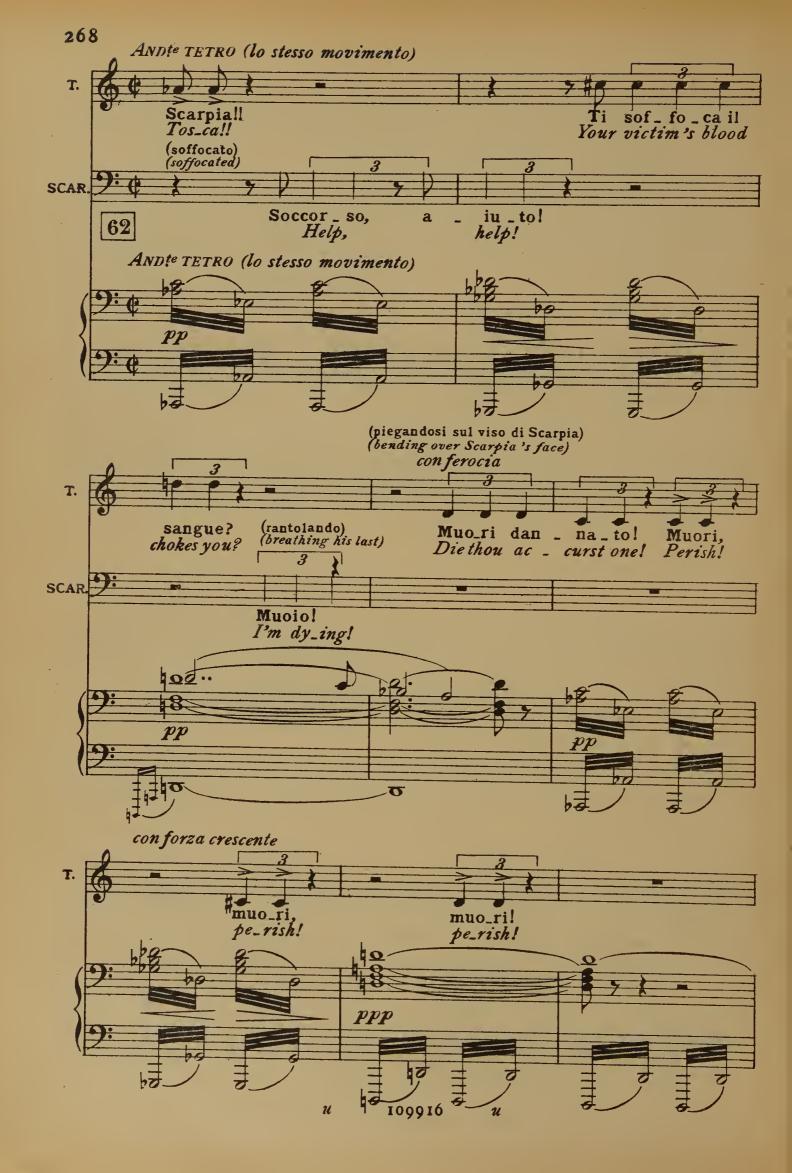
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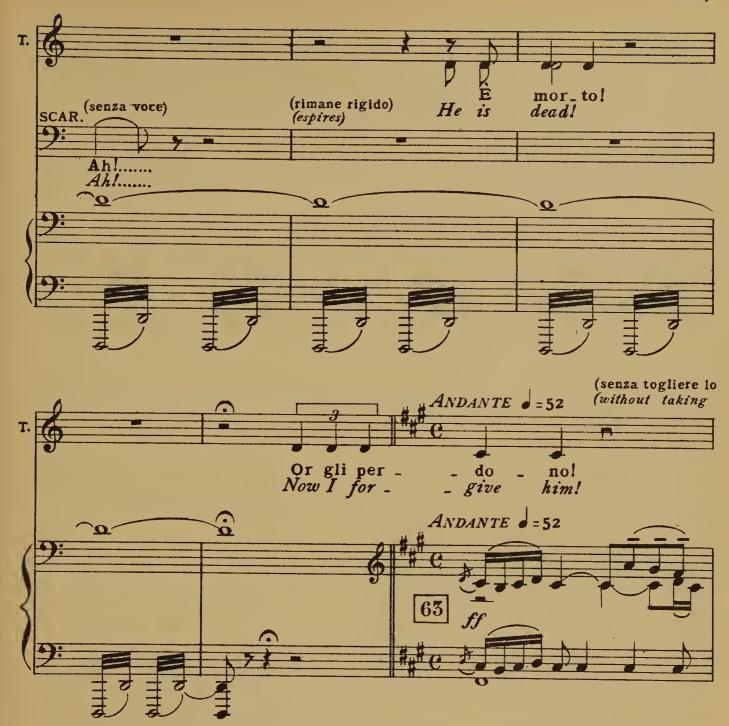




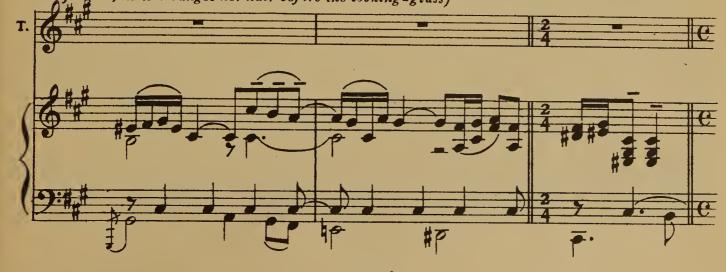








sguardo dal cadavere di Scarpia, va al tavolo prende una bottiglia d'acqua e inzuppando un tovagliolo si lava le dita, poi si ravvia i capelli guardandosi allo specchio) her eyes off Scarpia's corpse she goes to the table, dips a napkin in the water-jug and washes her fingers, then arranges her hair before the looking-glass)



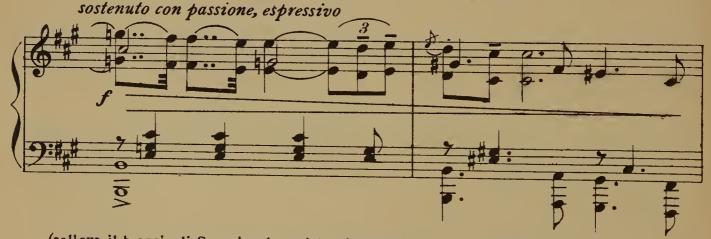
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(si sovviene del salvacondotto...lo cerca sullo scrittoio ma non lo trova; (remembering the passport, she looks for it on the desk and, not finding it,

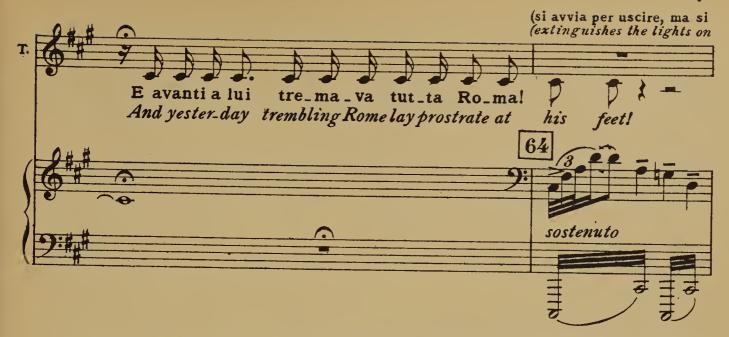


lo cerca ancora, finalmente vede il salvacondotto nella mano raggrinzata di Scarpia) searches elsewhere; at last she perceives it, clutched in the clenched fingers of Scarpia)



(solleva il braccio di Scarpia, che poi lascia cadere inerte, dopo aver tolto il salvacondotto, che nasconde in petto)
(lifts Scarpia's arm, which she lets fall, stiff and inert, when she has possessed herself of the passport, which she hides in her bosom)





pente, va a prendere le due candele che sono sulla mensola a sinistra e le accende al canthe table and is about to leave when, seeing one of the candles on the desk still burning, she





(colloca una candela accesa a destra della testa di Scarpia) (mette l'altra candela a sinistra) (places one candle to the right of Scarpia's head, and the other to the left)





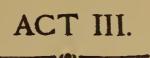
(si alza e con grande precauzione esce, rinchiudendo dietro a sè la porta) (rises and departs cautiously, closing the door after her)



Fine dell'Atto II?

End of Act II?

ATTO TERZO



LA PIATTAFORMA DI CASTEL SANT' ANGELO

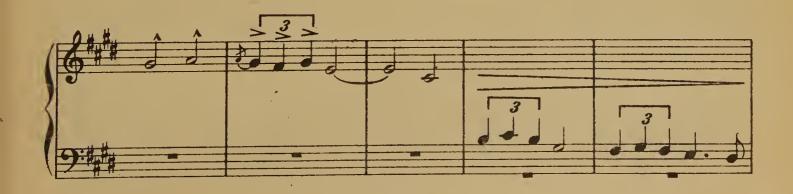
A PEATFORM OF CASTLE SANT' ANGELO

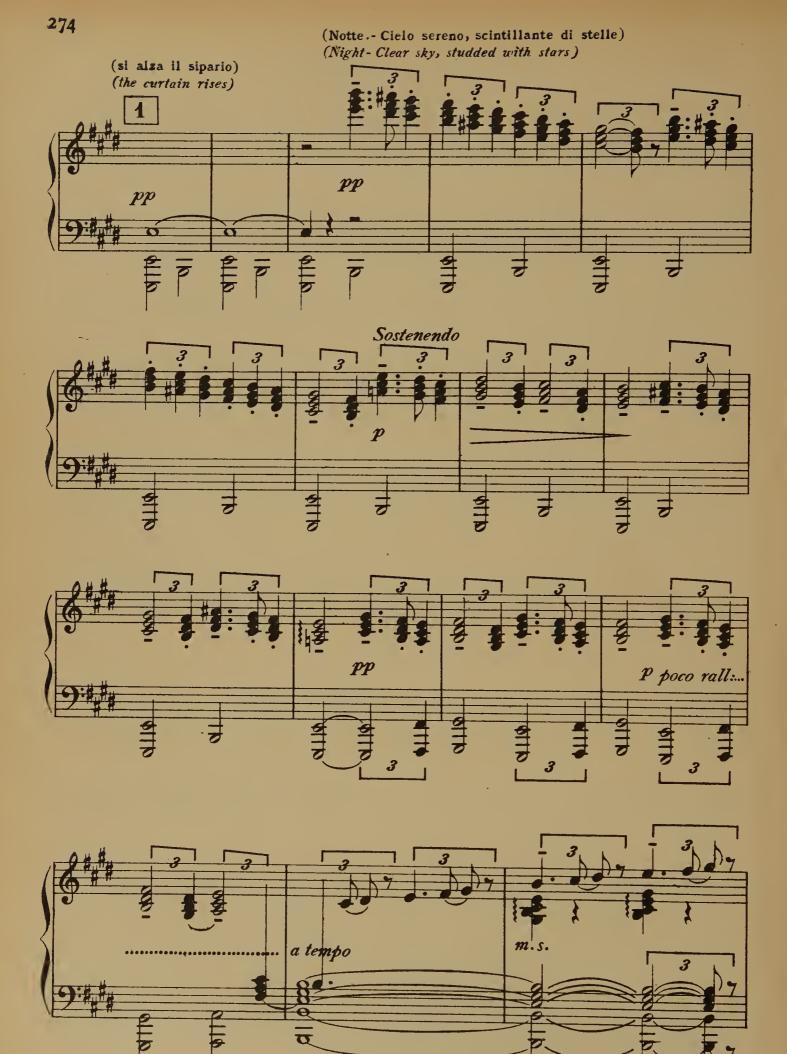
A sinistra, una casamatta: vi è collocata una tavola, sulla quale stanno una lampada, un grosso registro e l'occorrente per scrivere: una panca, una sedia. Su di una parete della casamatta un crocifisso: davanti a questo è appesa un lampada. A destra, l'apertura di una piccola scala per la quale si ascende alla piattaforma. Nel fondo il Vaticano e San Pietro.

L. a casemate, furnished with a table (on which stand a lantern, a huge register-book, and uriting materials) a bench and a stool. On one of the walls a crucifix and votive lamp. R. a trapdoor, opening on a flight of steps leading from below to the platform. Vatican and S! Peter's painted on back-cloth)





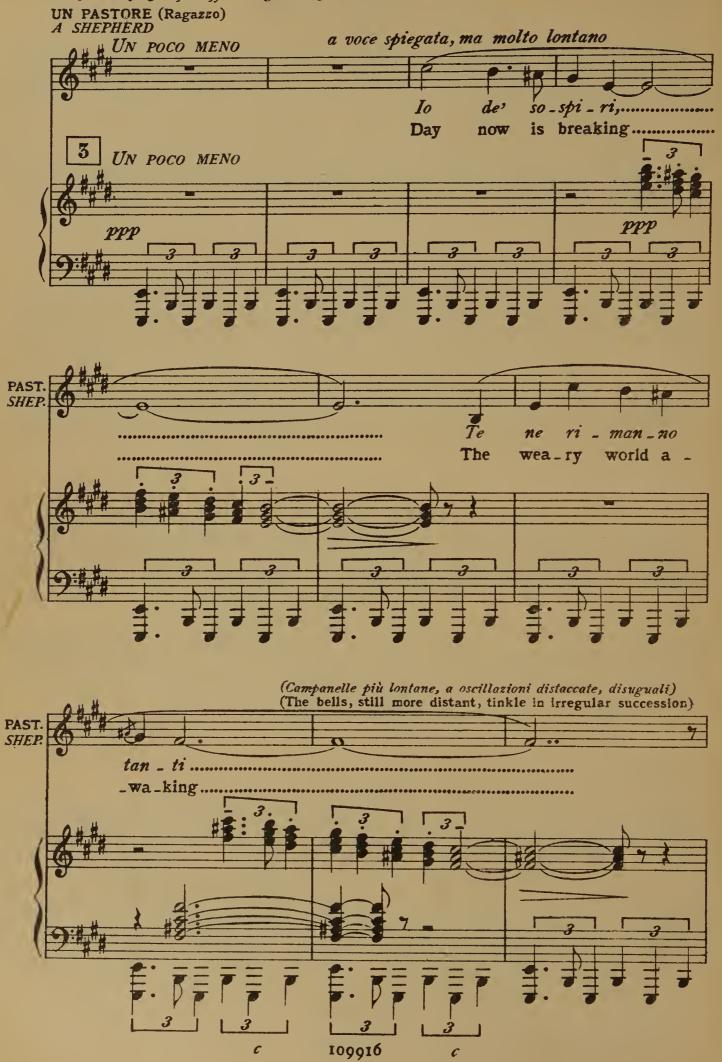


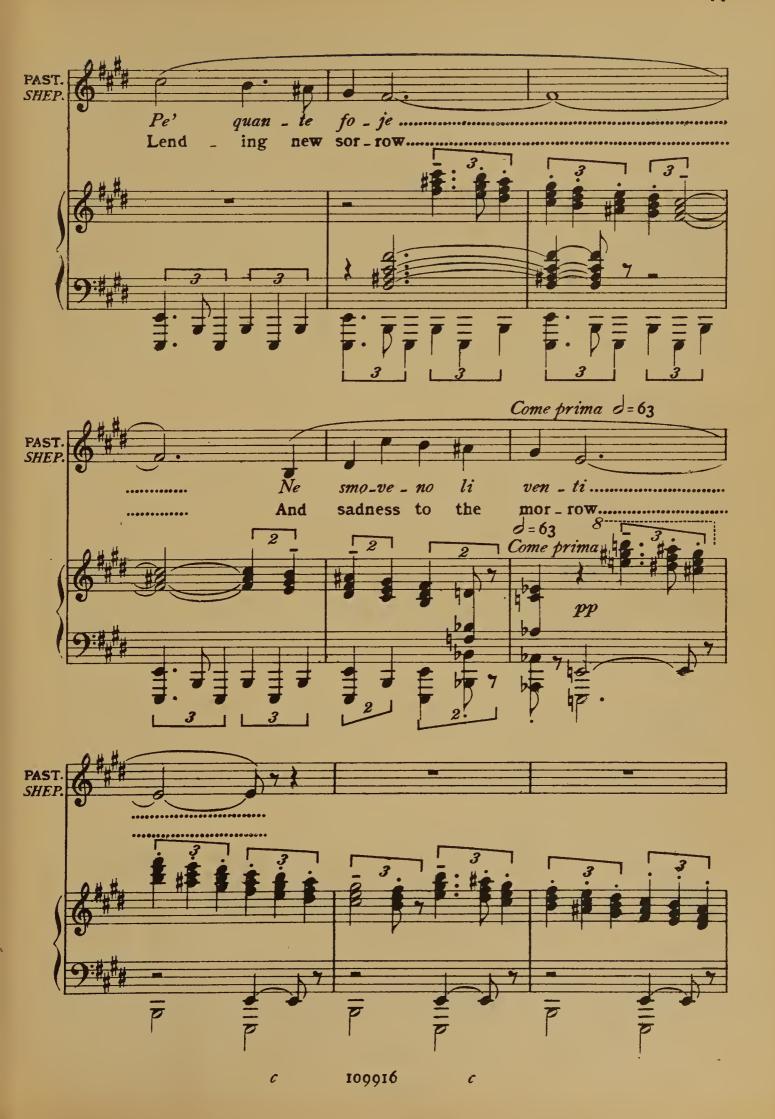


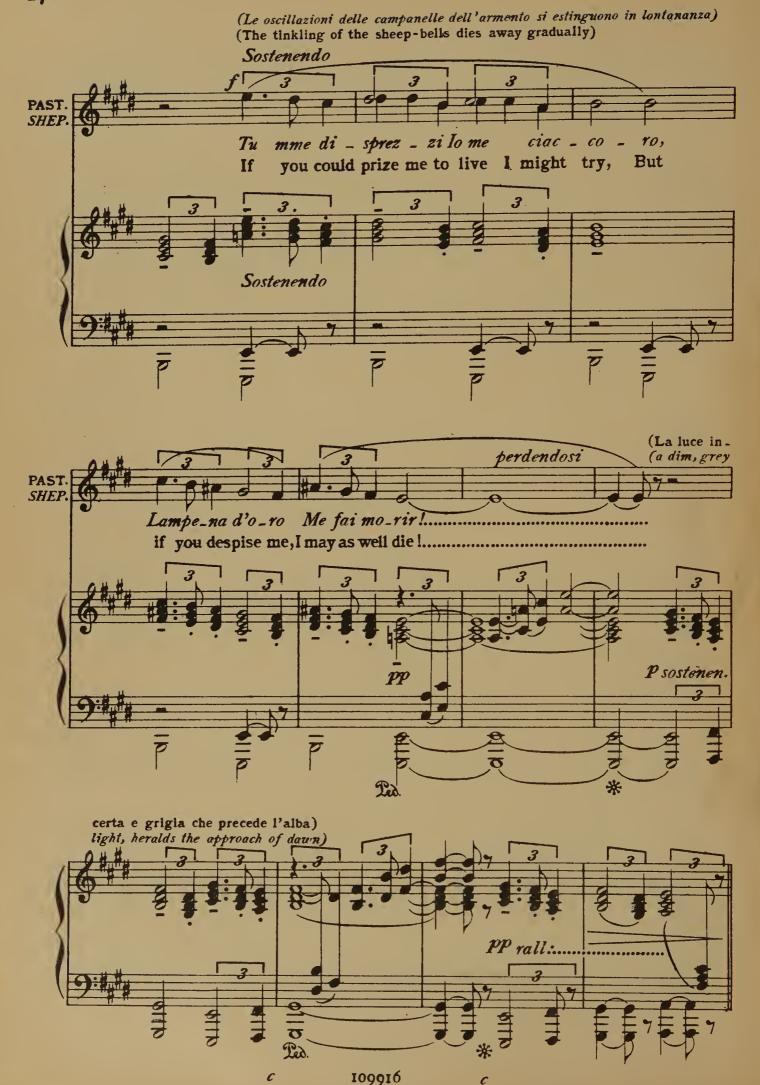
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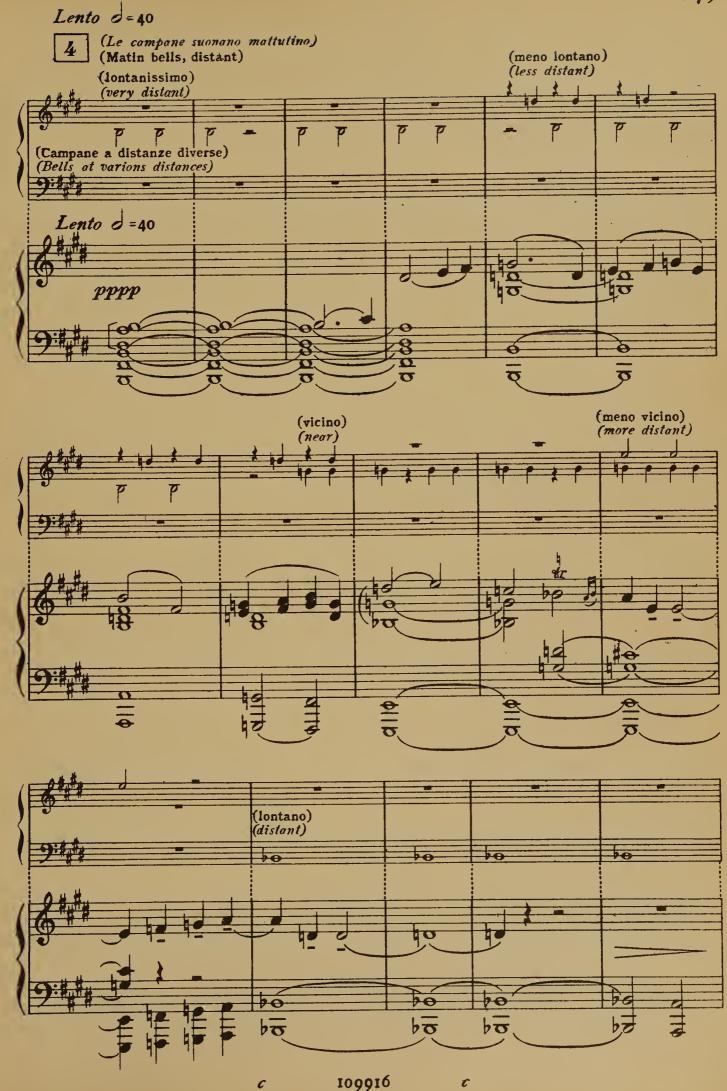


(Si odono, lontane, le campanelle d'un armento: di mano in mano vanno sempre più afflevolendosi) (Sheep-bells jangle afar off, then gradually nearer and nearer)









(Un carceriere con una lanterna sale dalla scala, va alla casamatta e vi accende la lampada sospe. (Gaoler, bearing a lantern, emerges from the trapdoor, enters the casemate, and lights first the lamp



sa davanti al Crocifisso, poi quella sulla tavola-Poi va in fondo alla piattaforma e guarda giù nel suspended beneath the crucifix and then the lantern standing on the table. Advancing to the parapet



cortile sottostante per vedere se giunge il picchetto dei soldati, col condannato - Si incontra con una of the platform, he leans over it and looks down into the courtyard to see if the firing-party escorting



sentinella che percorre tutt'all'intorno la piattaforma e scambiate colla stessa alcune parole, rithe condemned man has arrived. Meeting a sentinel who is on guard within the precincts of the

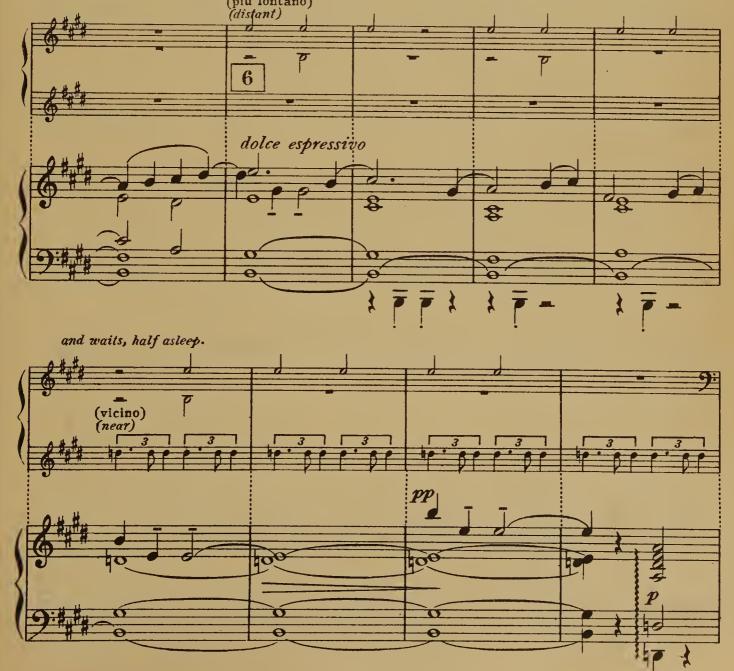


torna alla casamatta, siede ed aspetta mezzo assonnato)

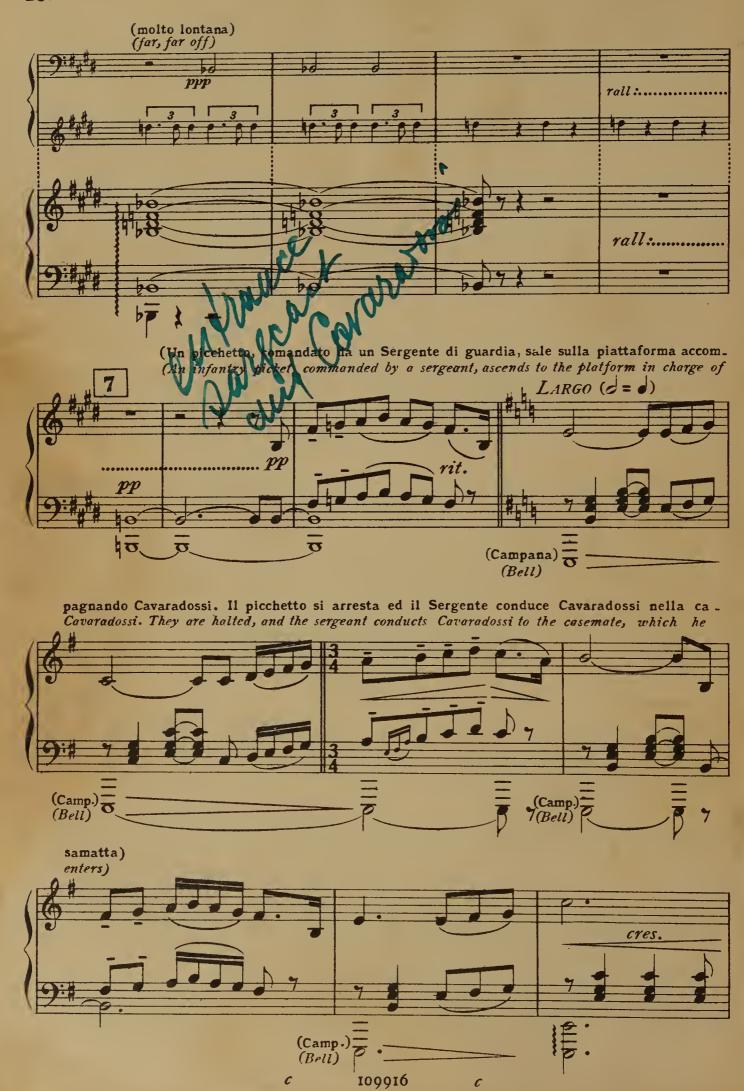
platform, and having exchanged a few words with him, returns to the casemate where he sits down

(più lontano)

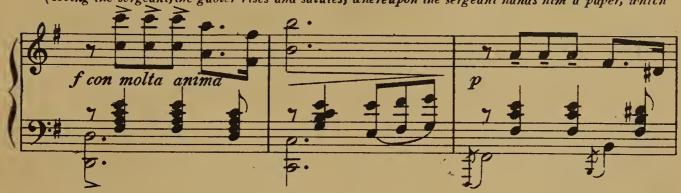
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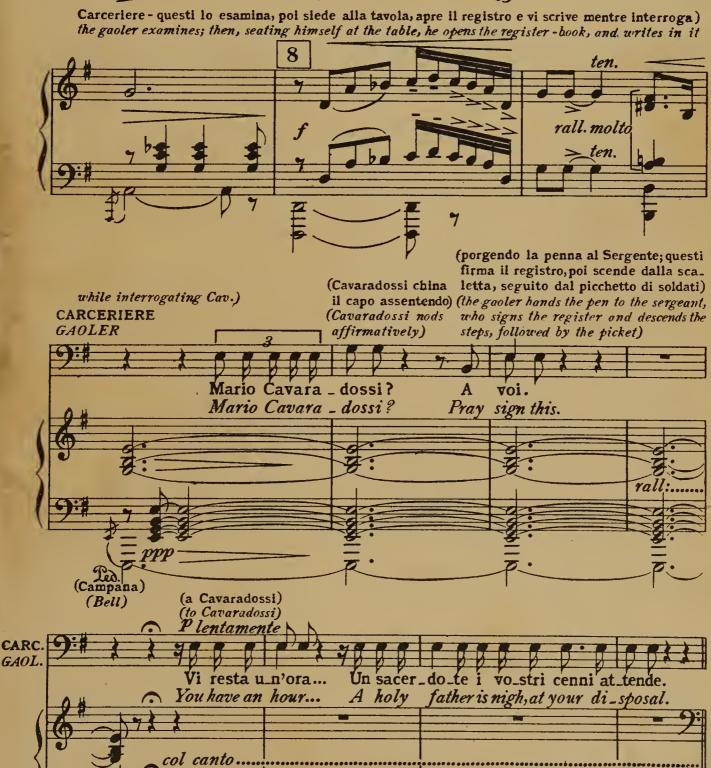


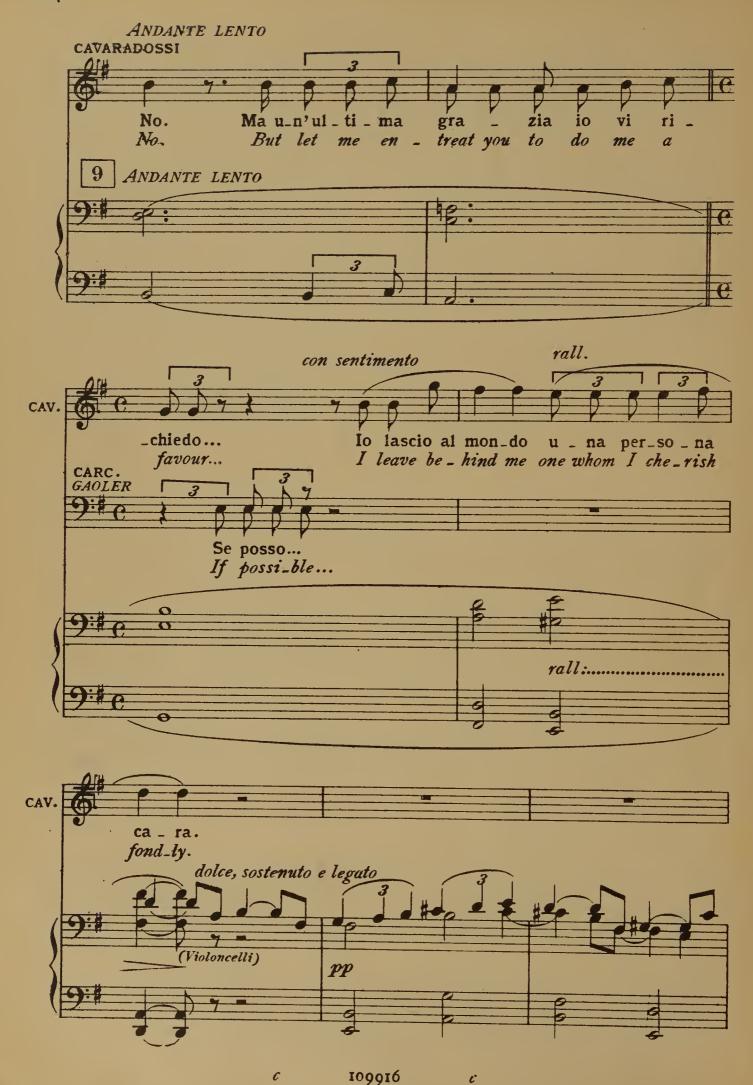
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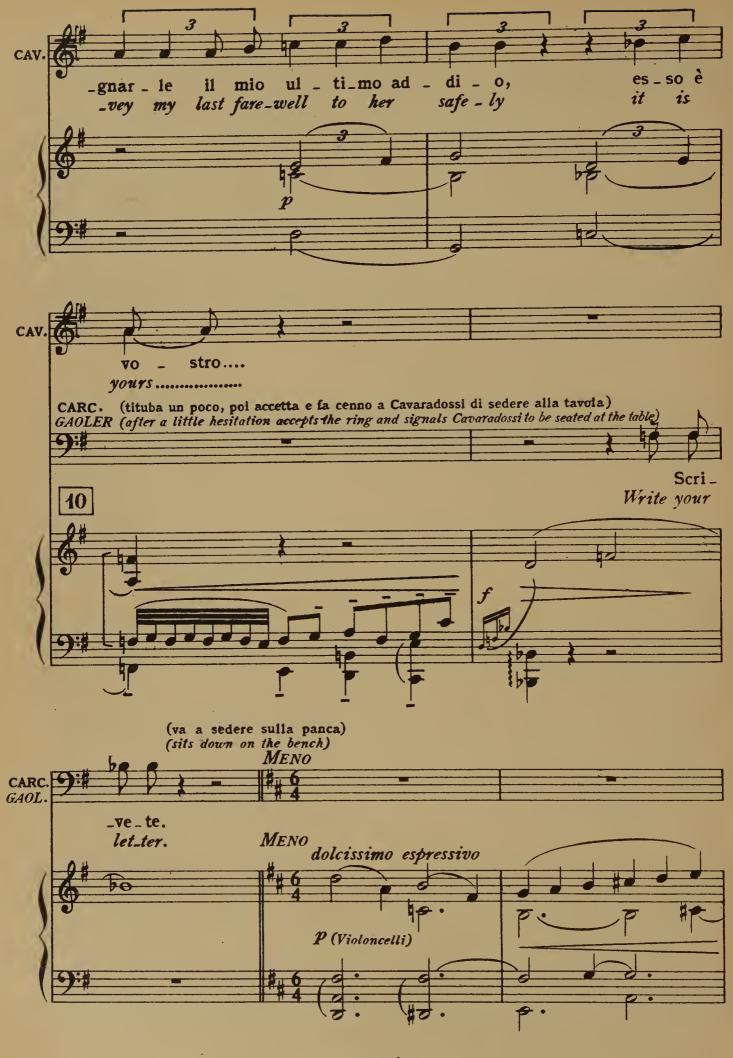
(alla vista del Sergente, il Carceriere s'alza, salutandolo; il Sergente consegna un foglio al (seeing the sergeant, the gaoler rises and salutes, whereupon the sergeant hands him a paper, which



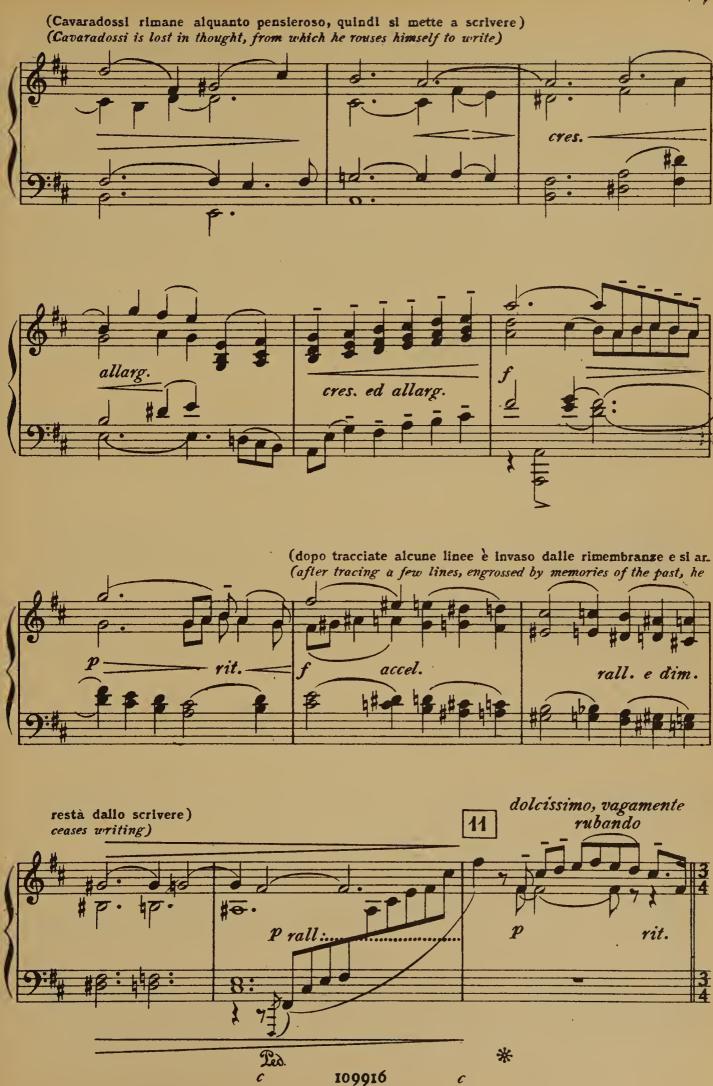


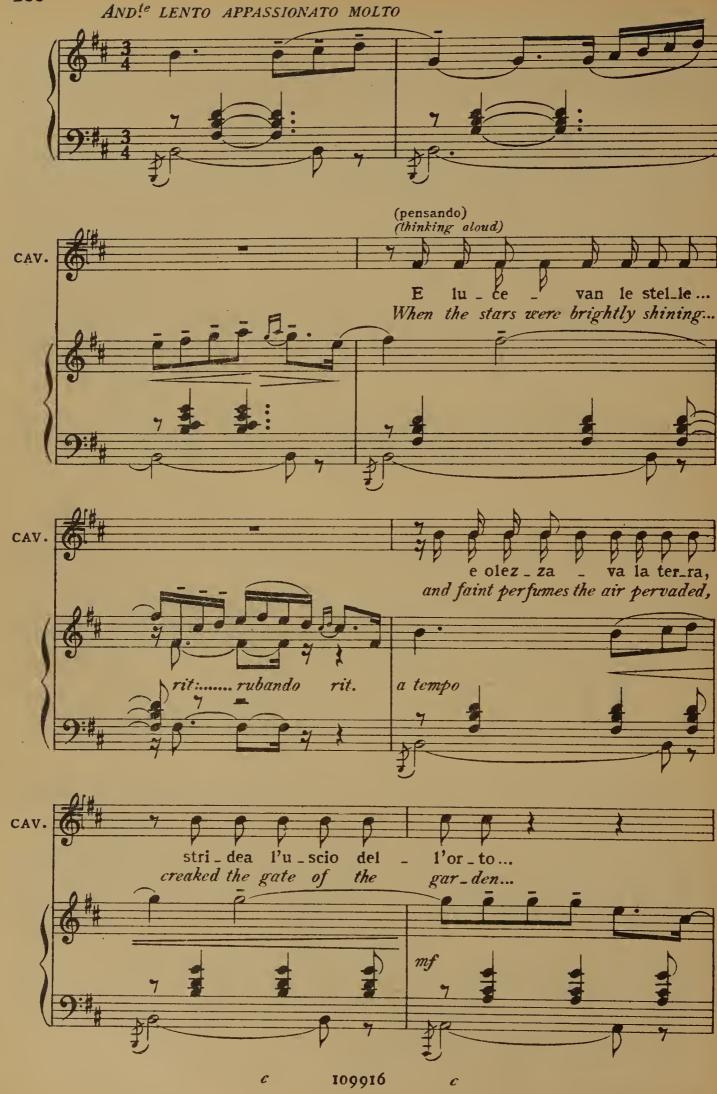


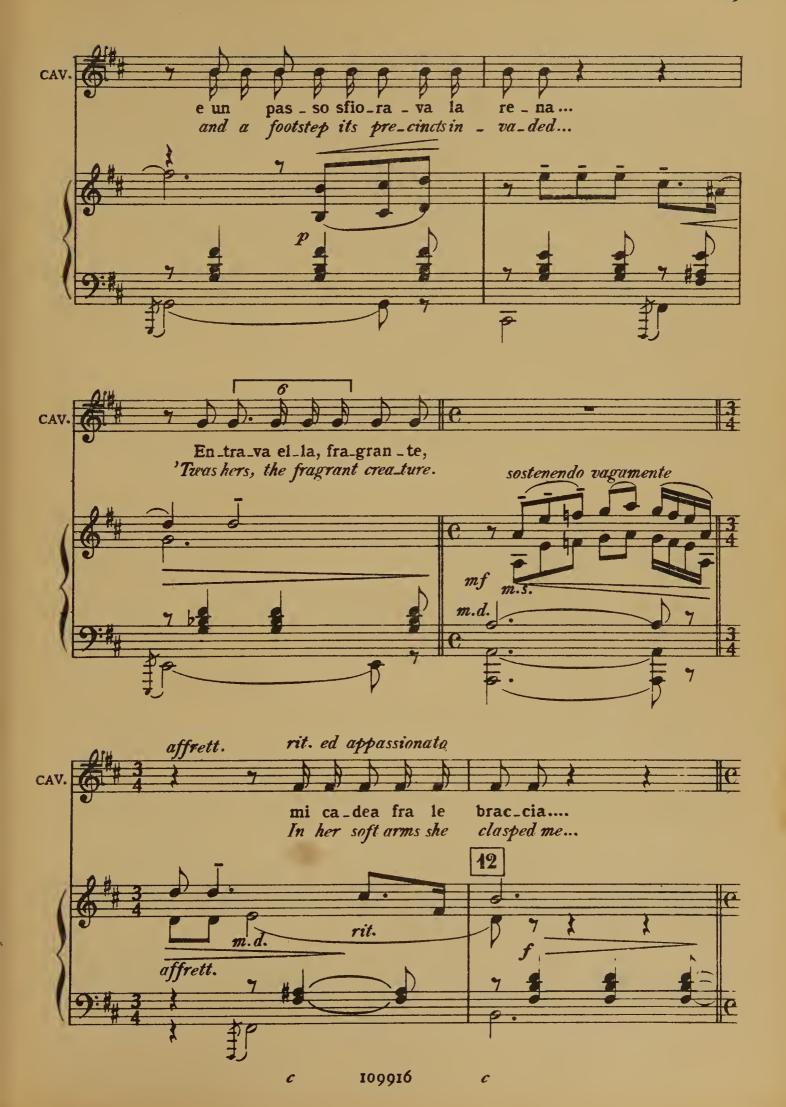


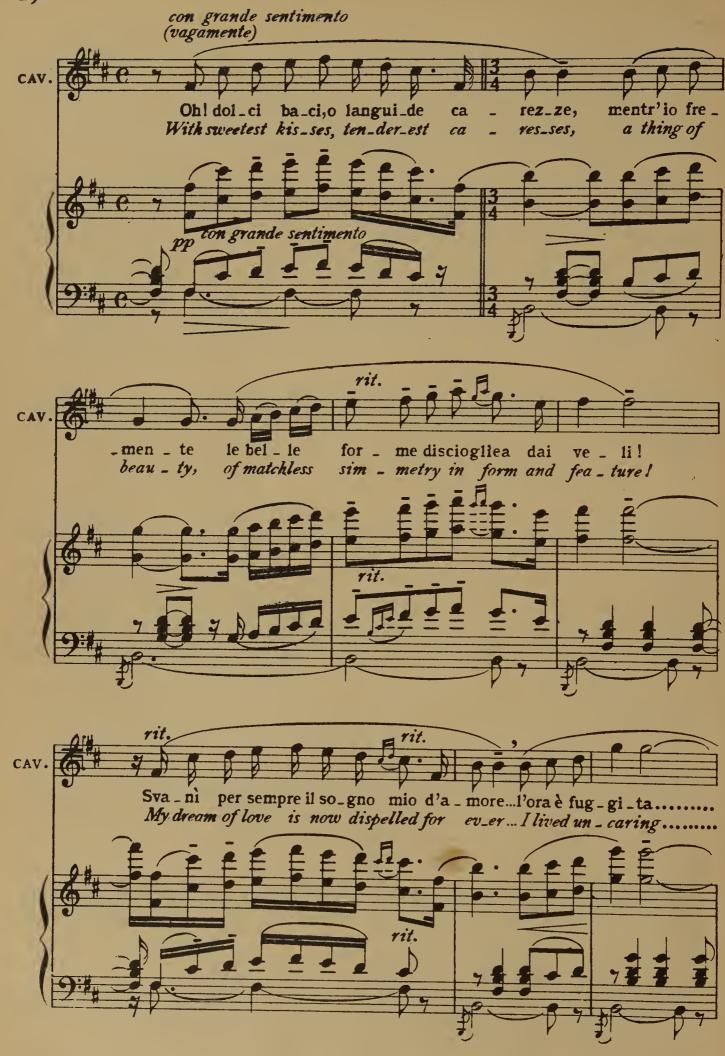


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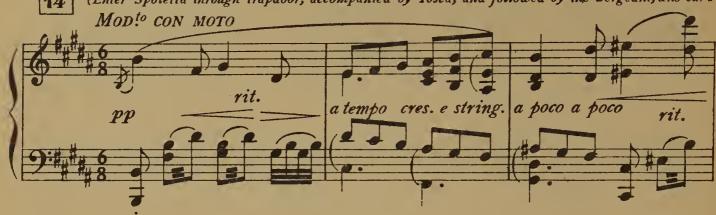








(Dalla scala viene Spoletta, accompagnato dal Sergente e seguito da Tosca: il Sergente por (Enter Spoletta through trapdoor, accompanied by Tosca, and followed by the Sergeant, who car-



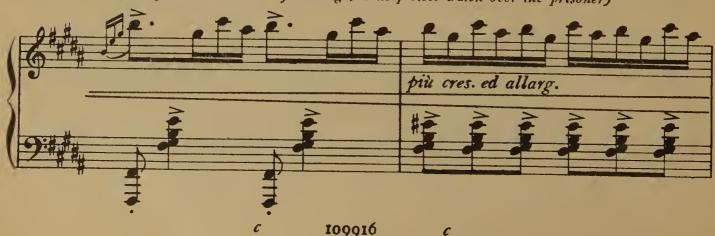
ta una lanterna - Spoletta accenna a Tosca ove trovasi Cavaradossi, poi chiama a sè il Carries a lantern. Spoletta points out to Tosca where she will find Cavaradossi and then beckons to

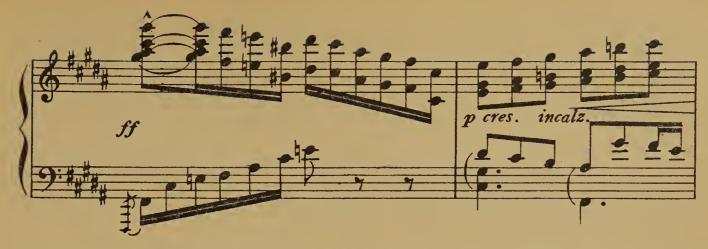


ceriere: con questi e col Sergente ridiscende, non senza avere prima dato ad una sentinella, the jailer, with whom and the Sergeant he redescends the steps, not without having given orders to

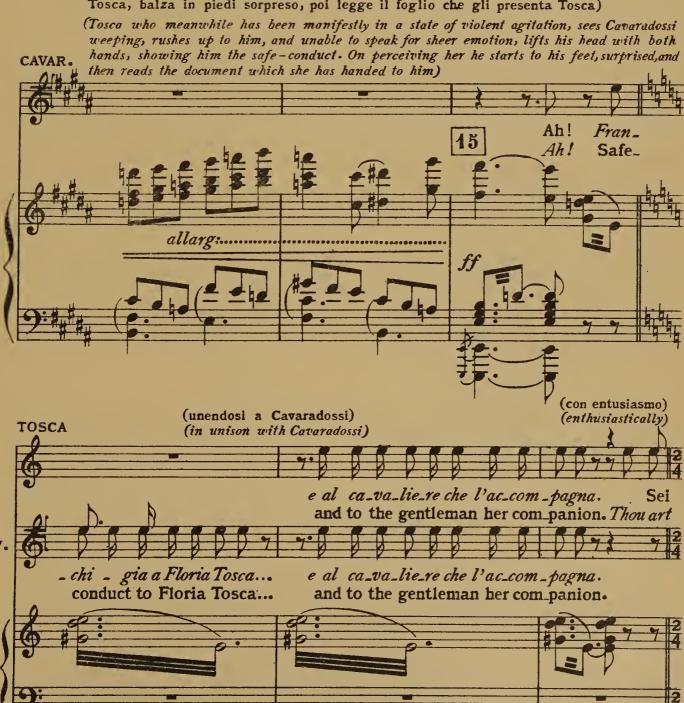


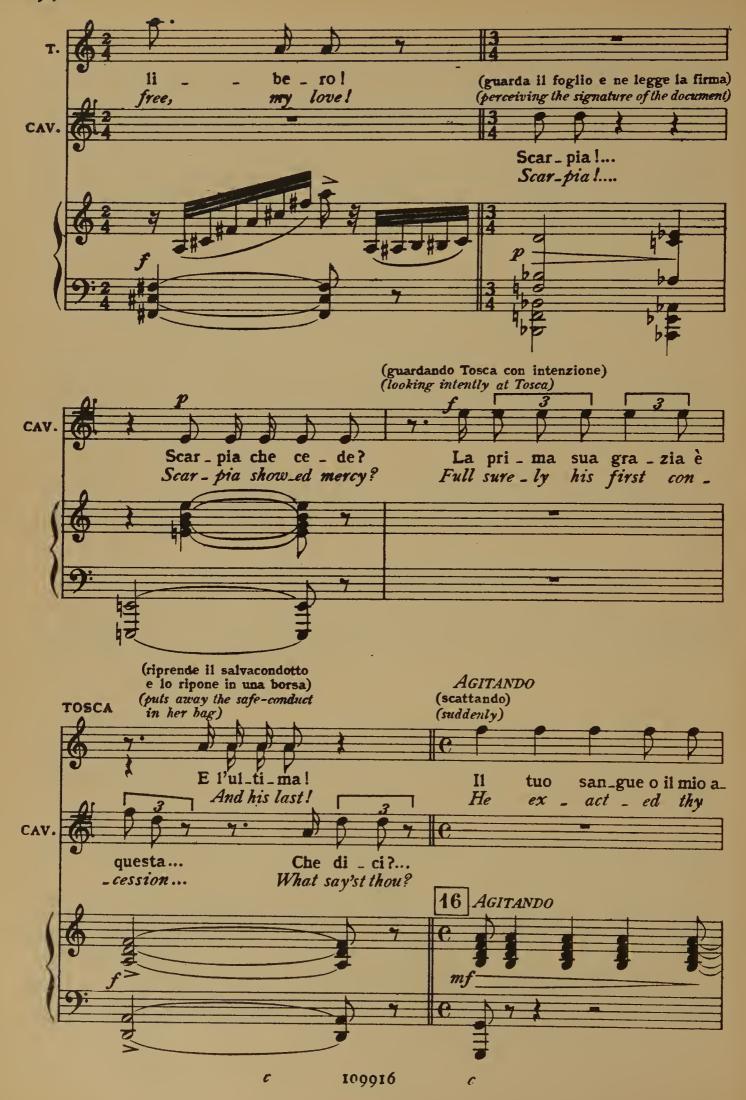
che sta in fondo, l'ordine di sorvegliare il prigioniero)
a sentry on guard at the back of the stage, to keep close watch over the prisoner)

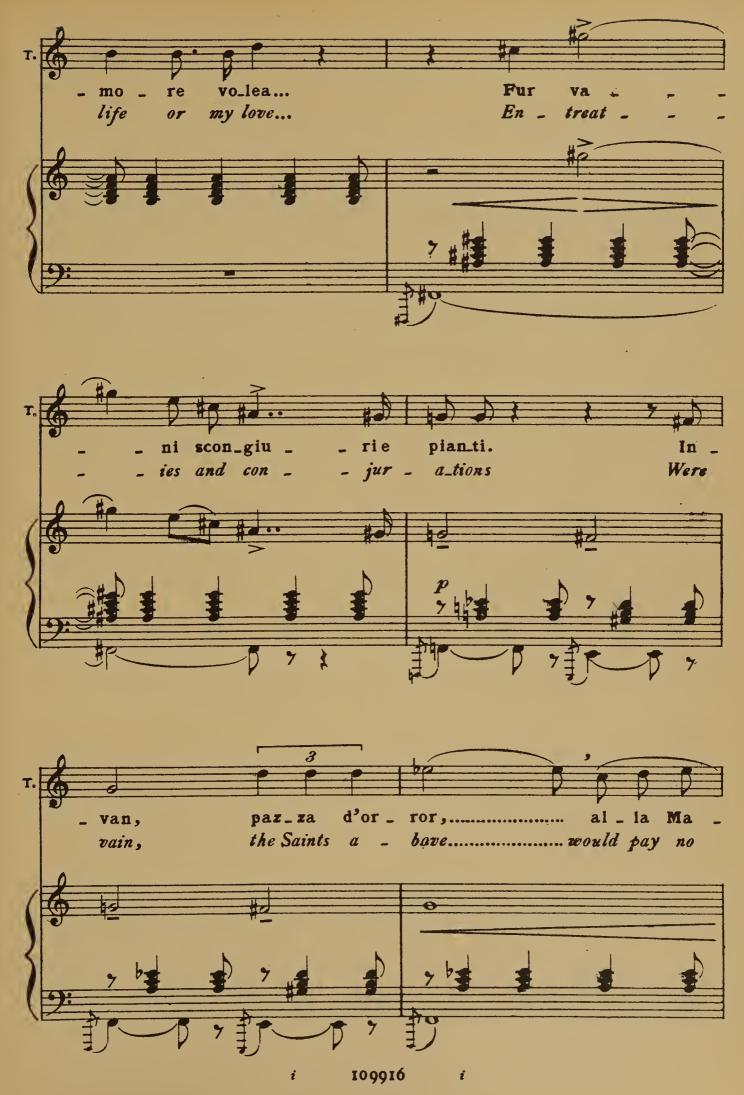


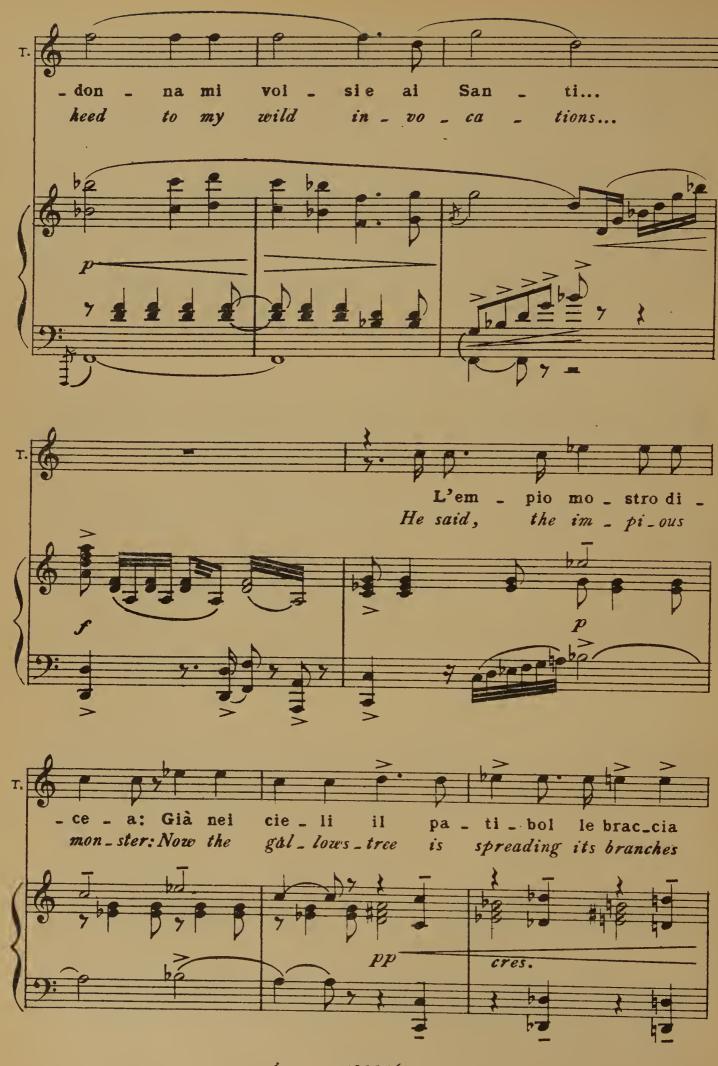


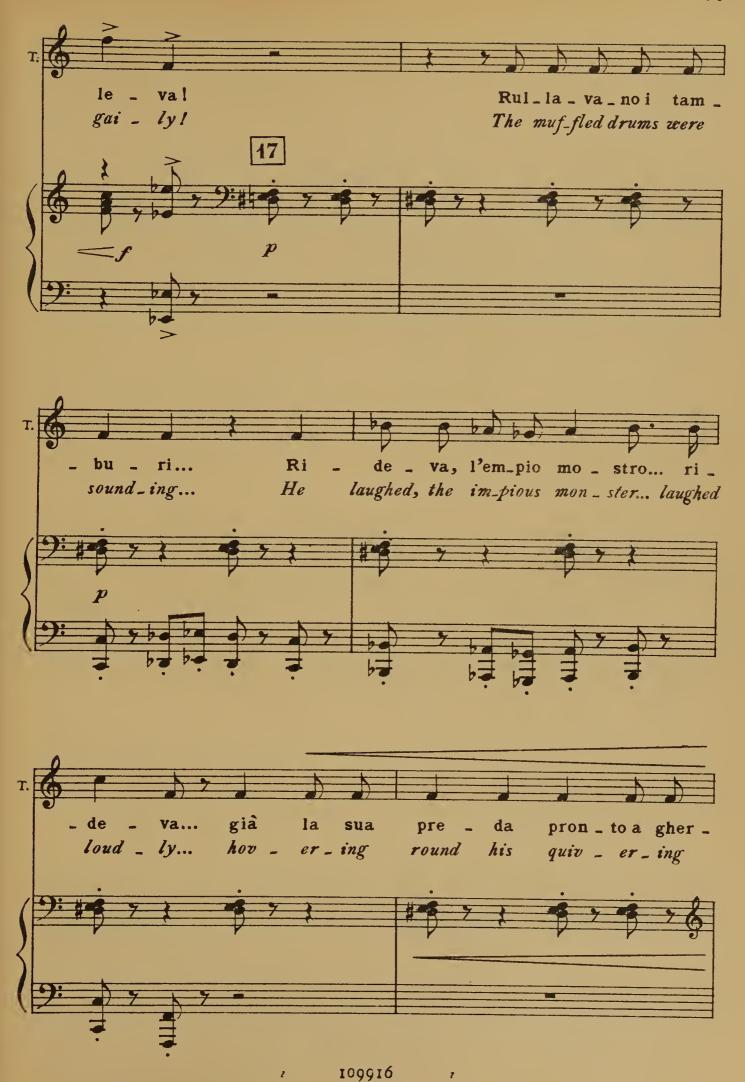
(Tosca, che in questo frattempo è rimasta agitatissima, vede Cavaradossi che piange: si slancia presso a lui, e non potendo parlare per la grande emozione, gli solleva colle due mani la testa, presentandogli in pari tempo il salvacondotto: Cavaradossi, alla vista di Tosca, balza in piedi sorpreso, poi legge il foglio che gli presenta Tosca)

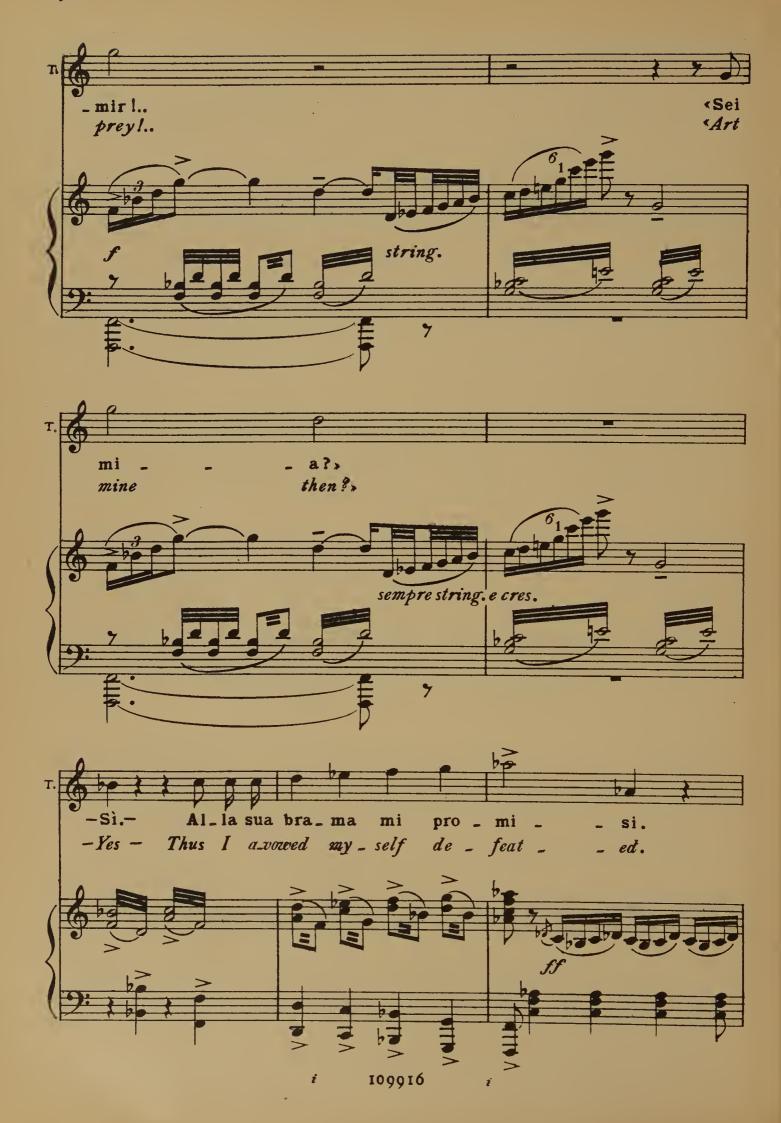




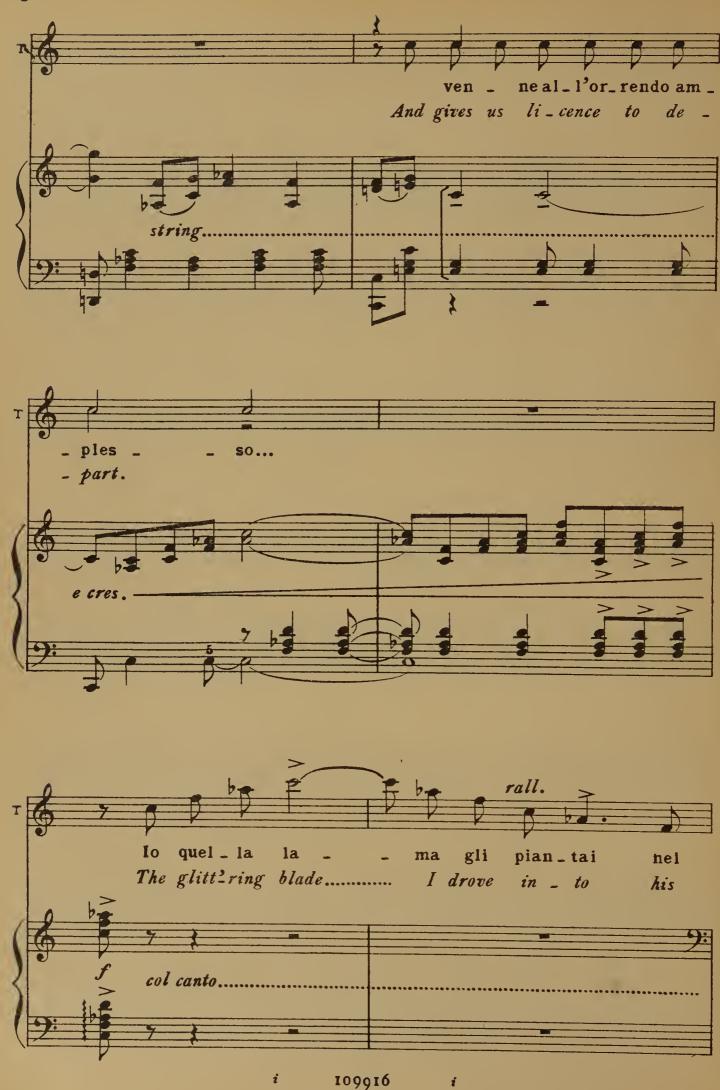




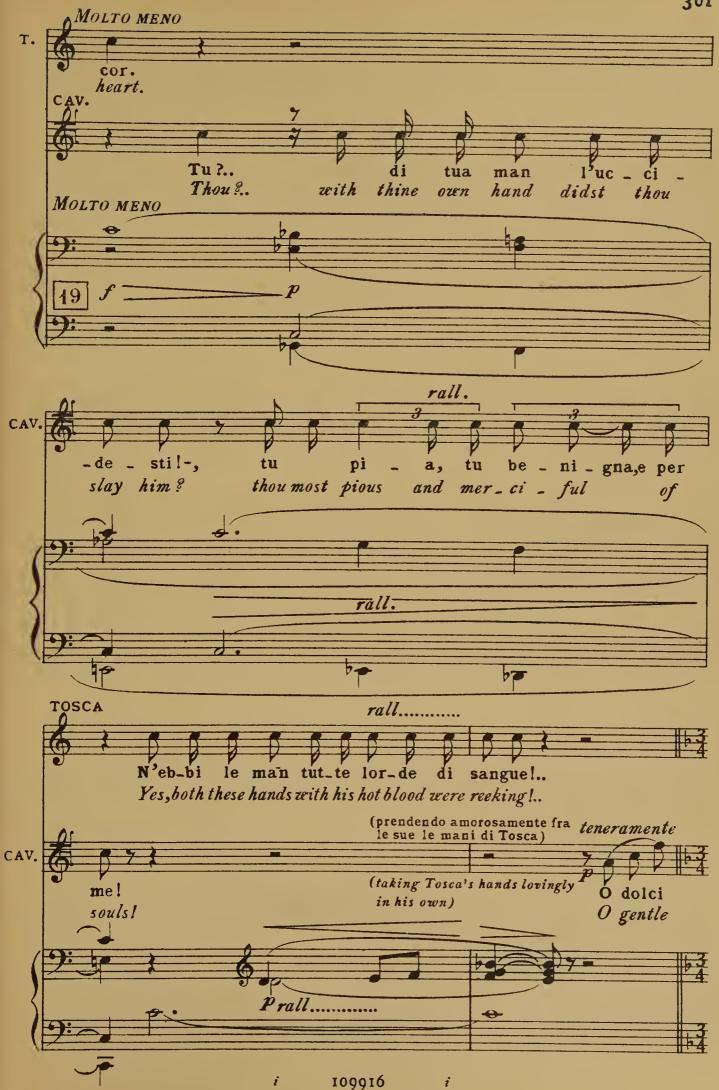


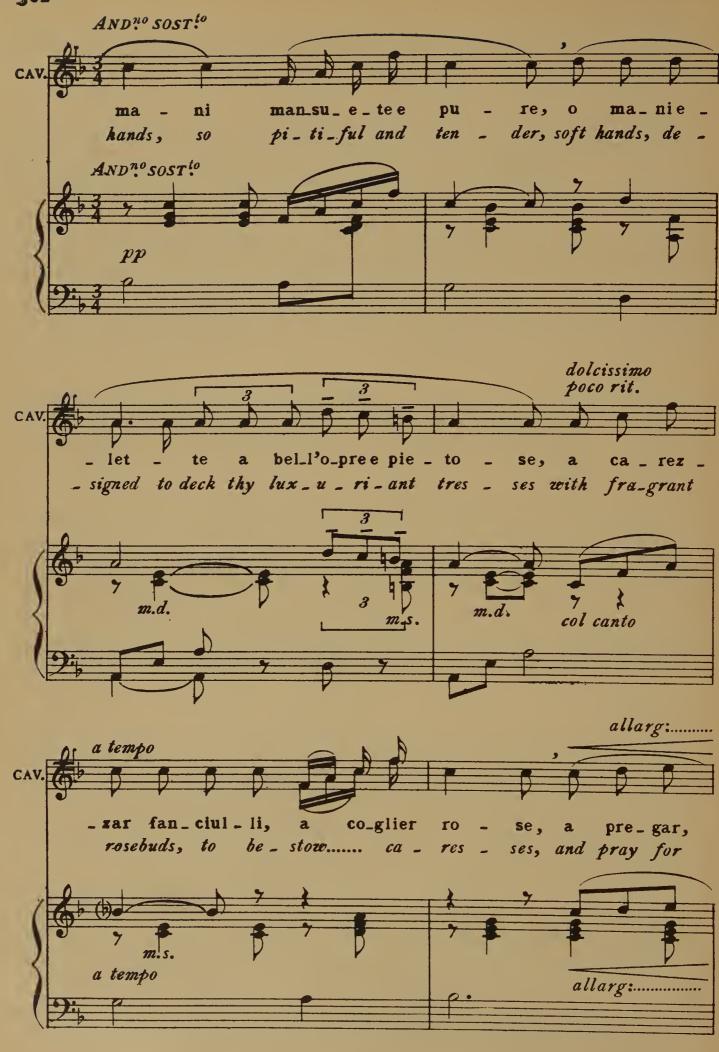






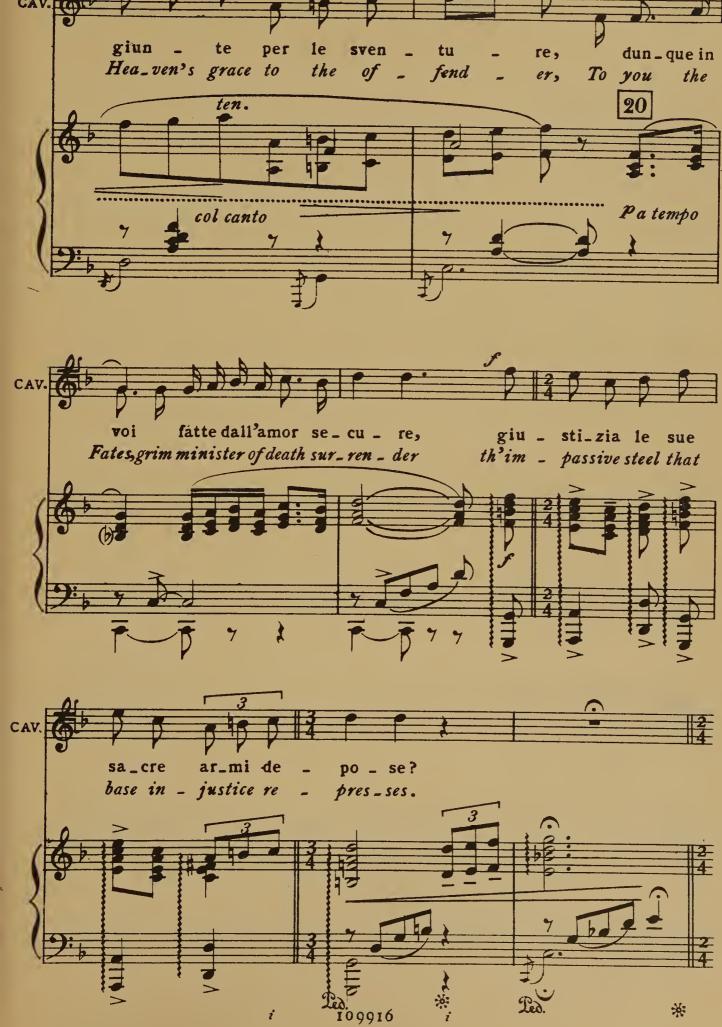




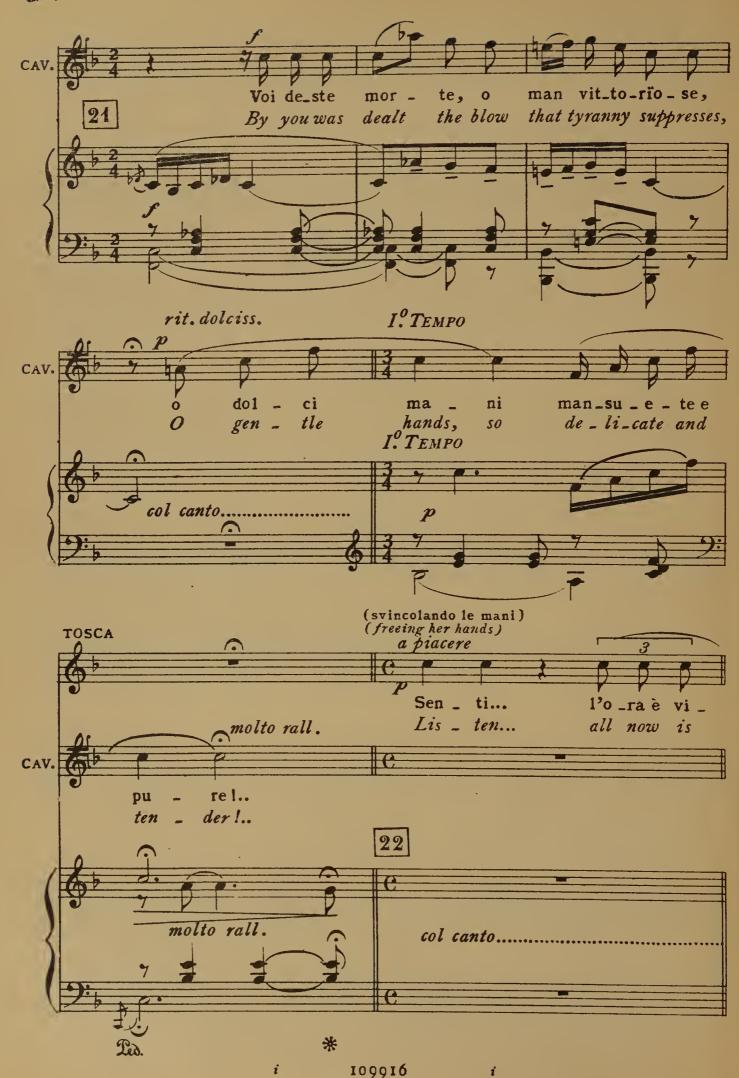


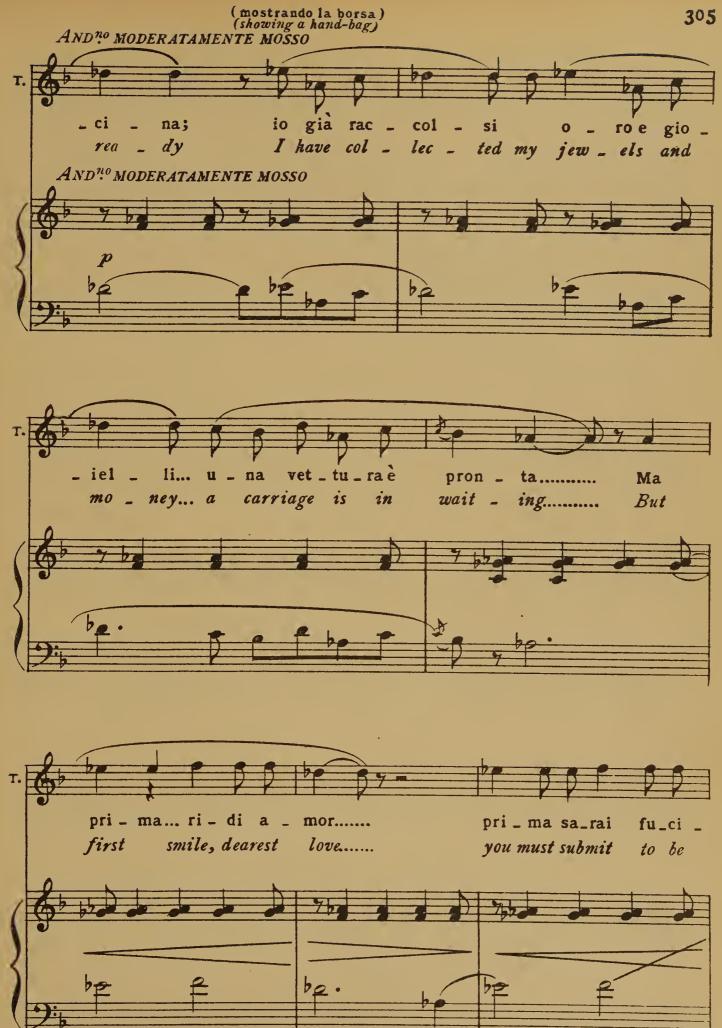


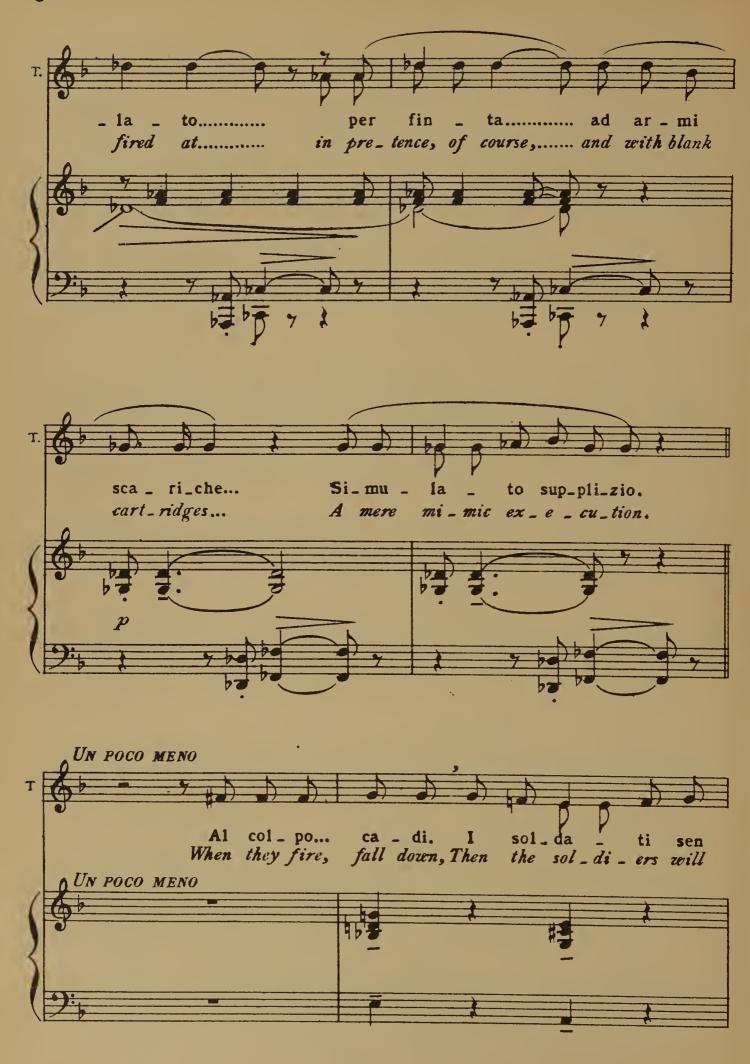
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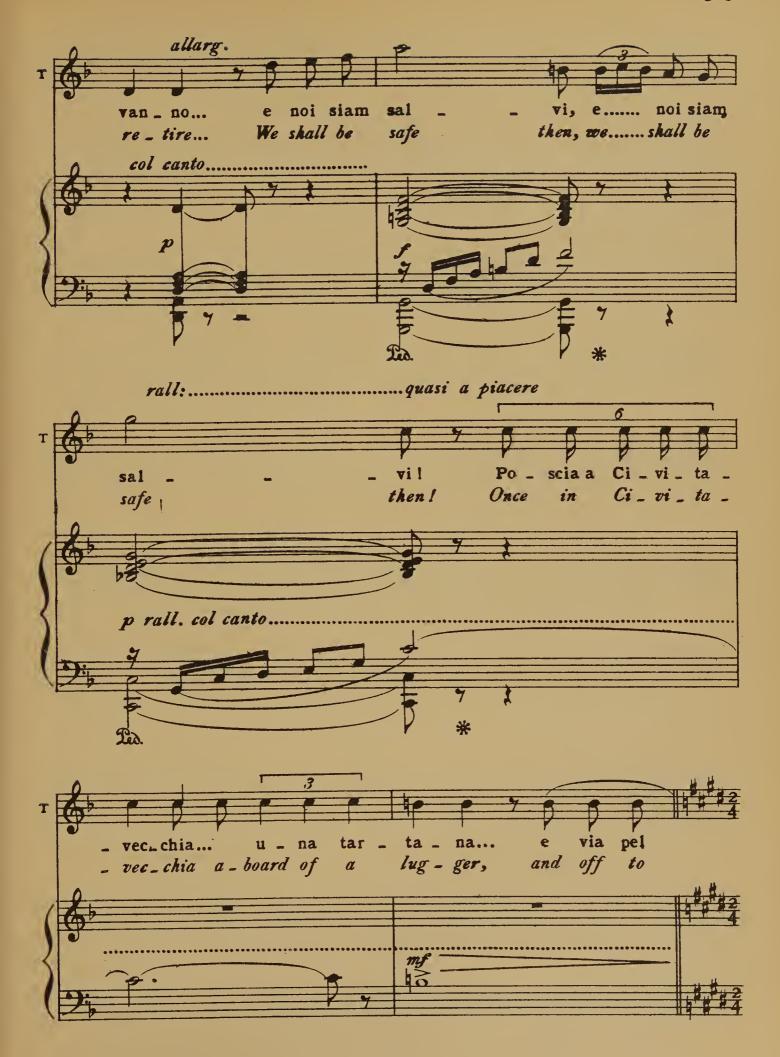


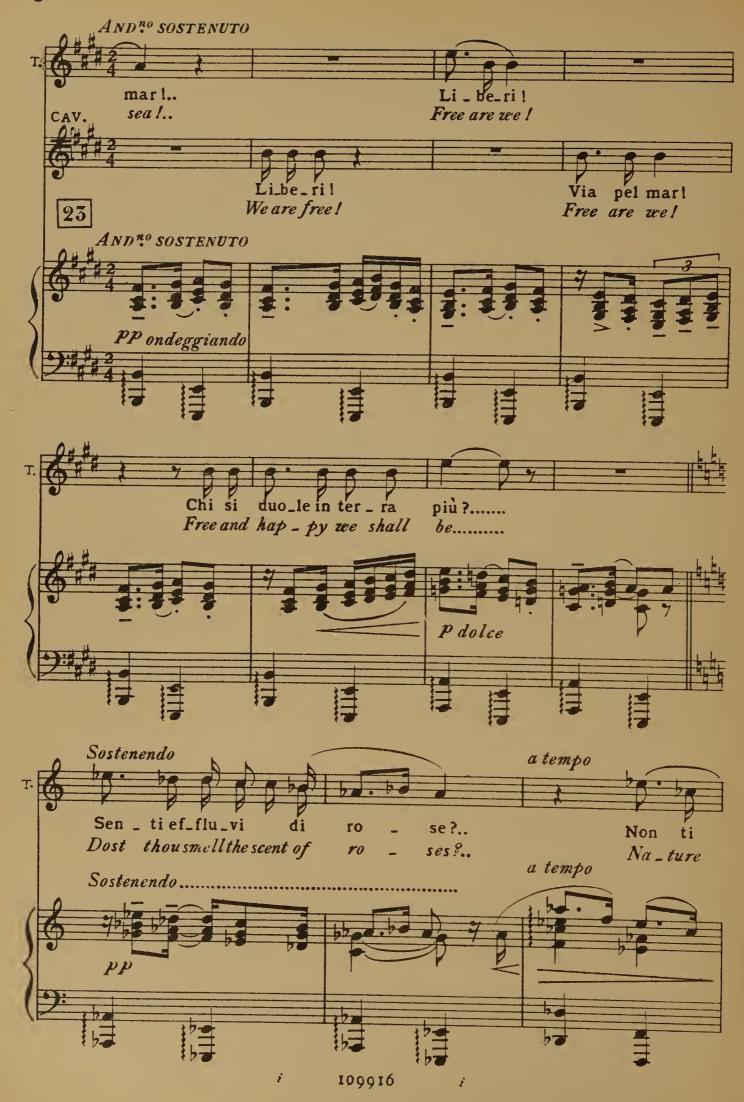
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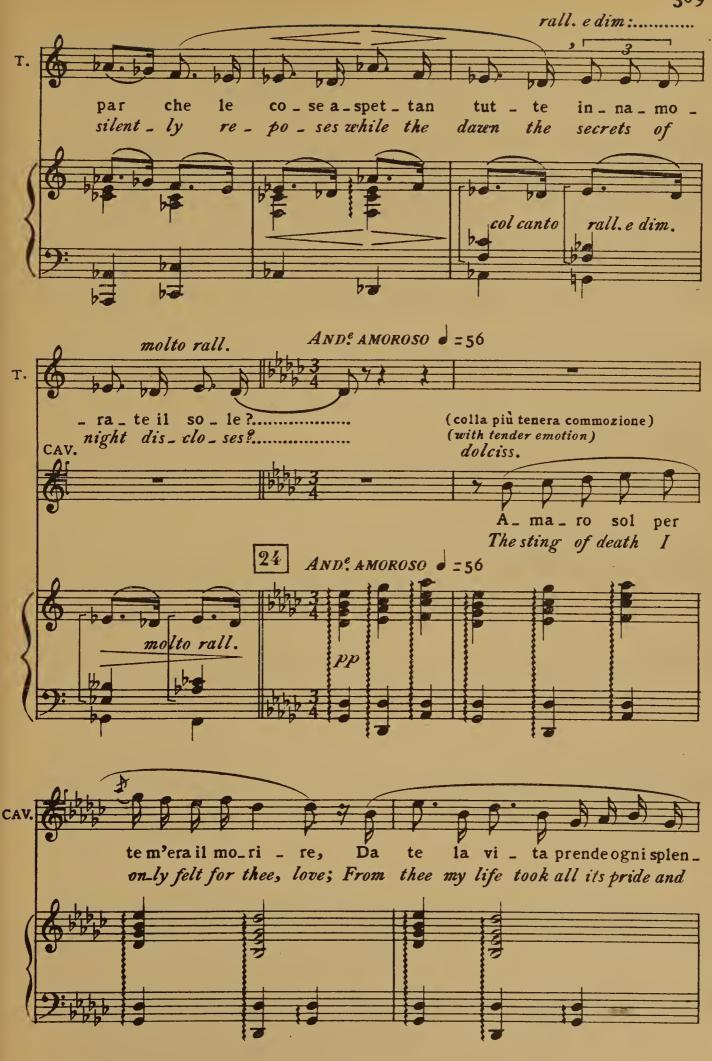




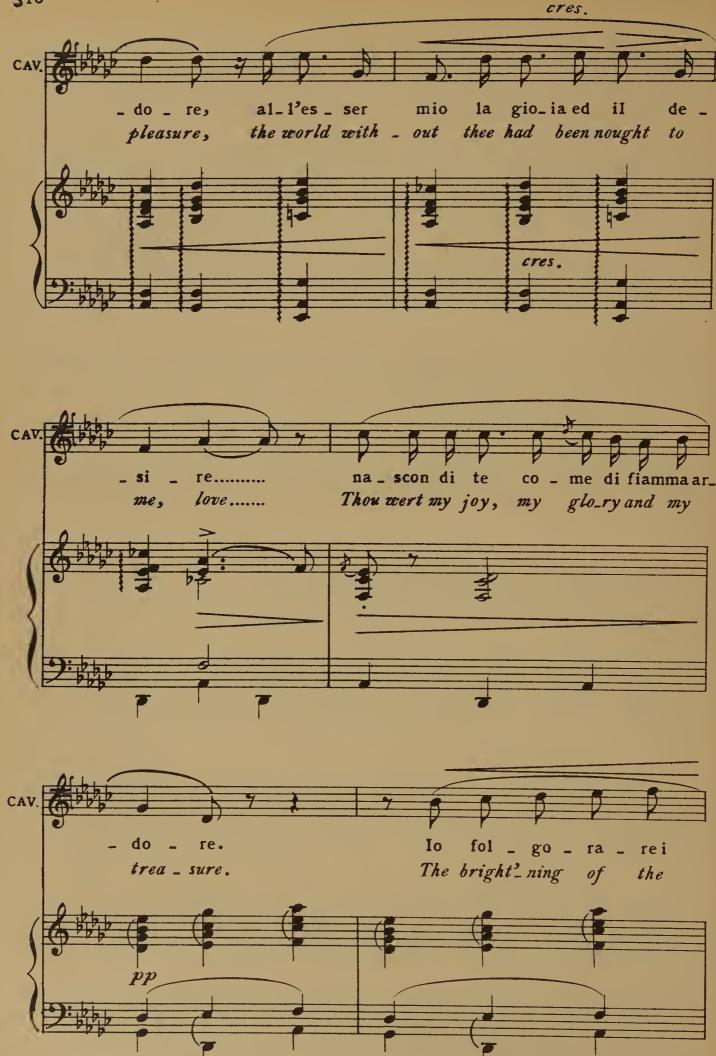


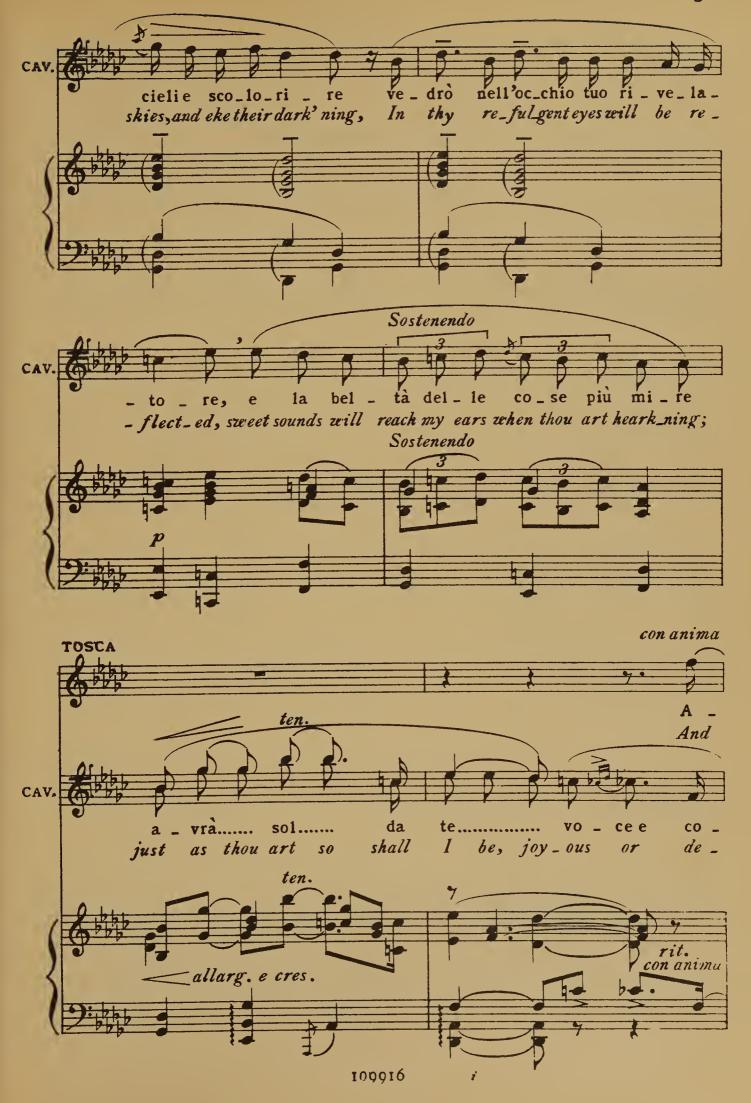


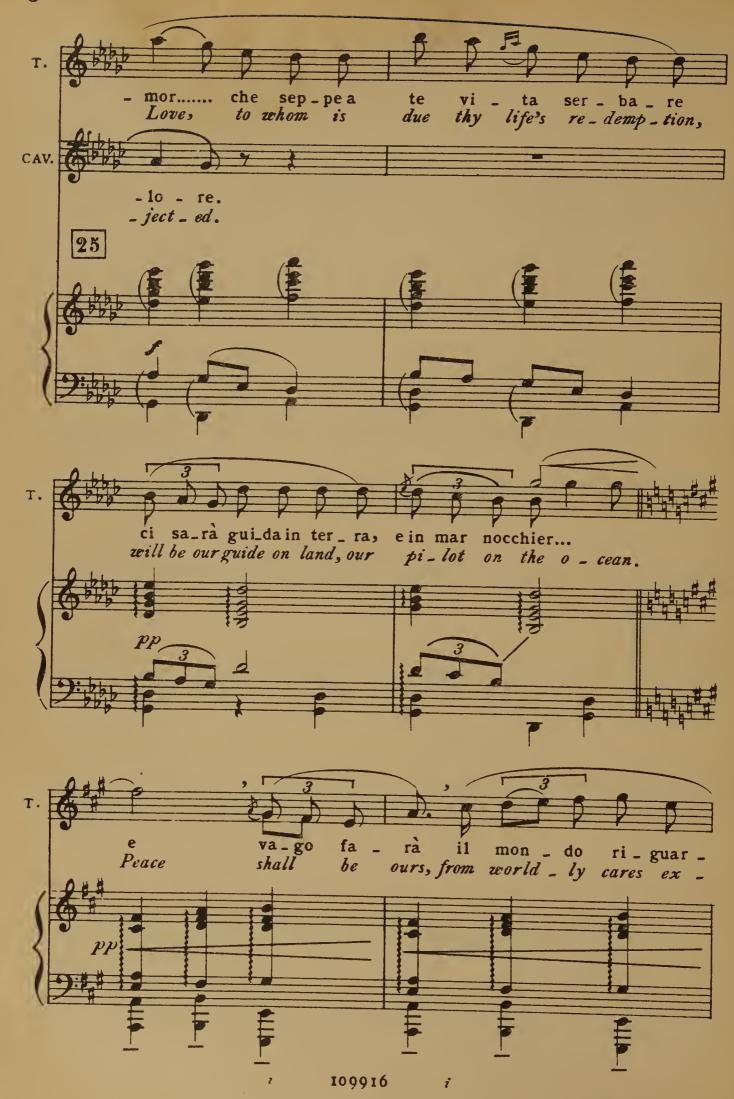


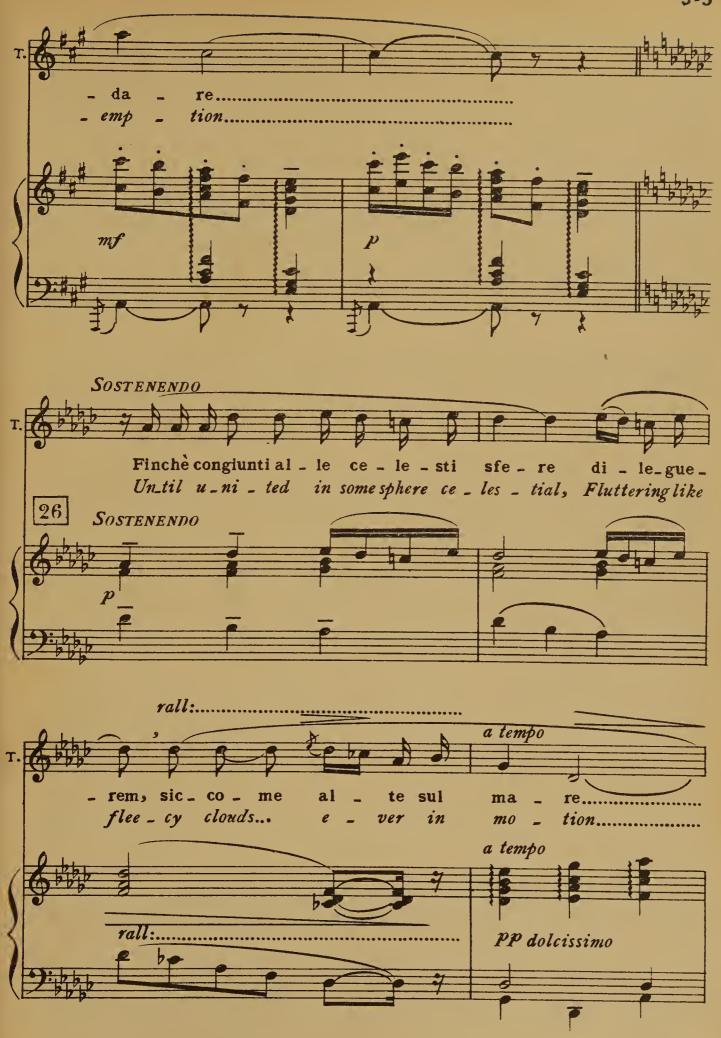


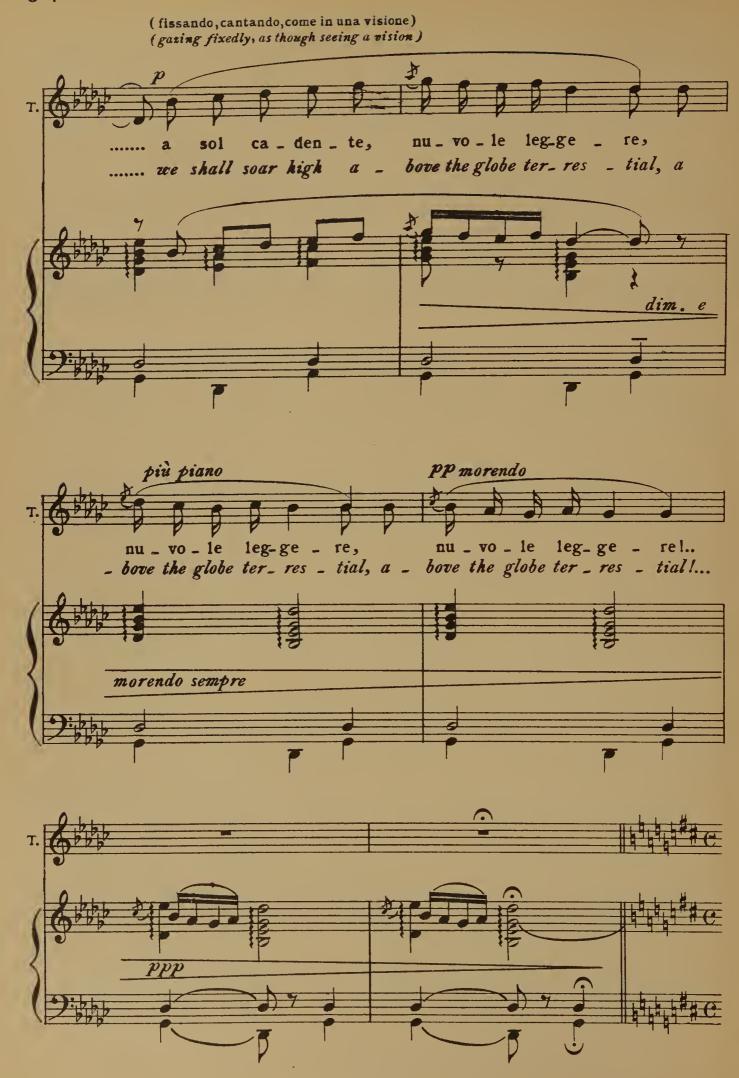


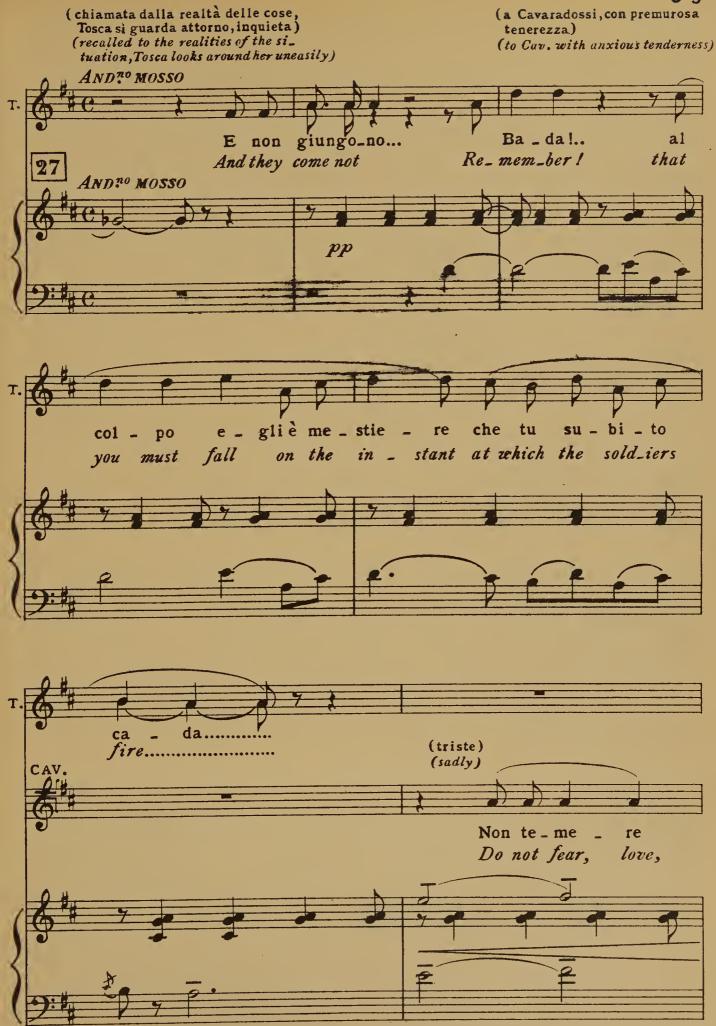


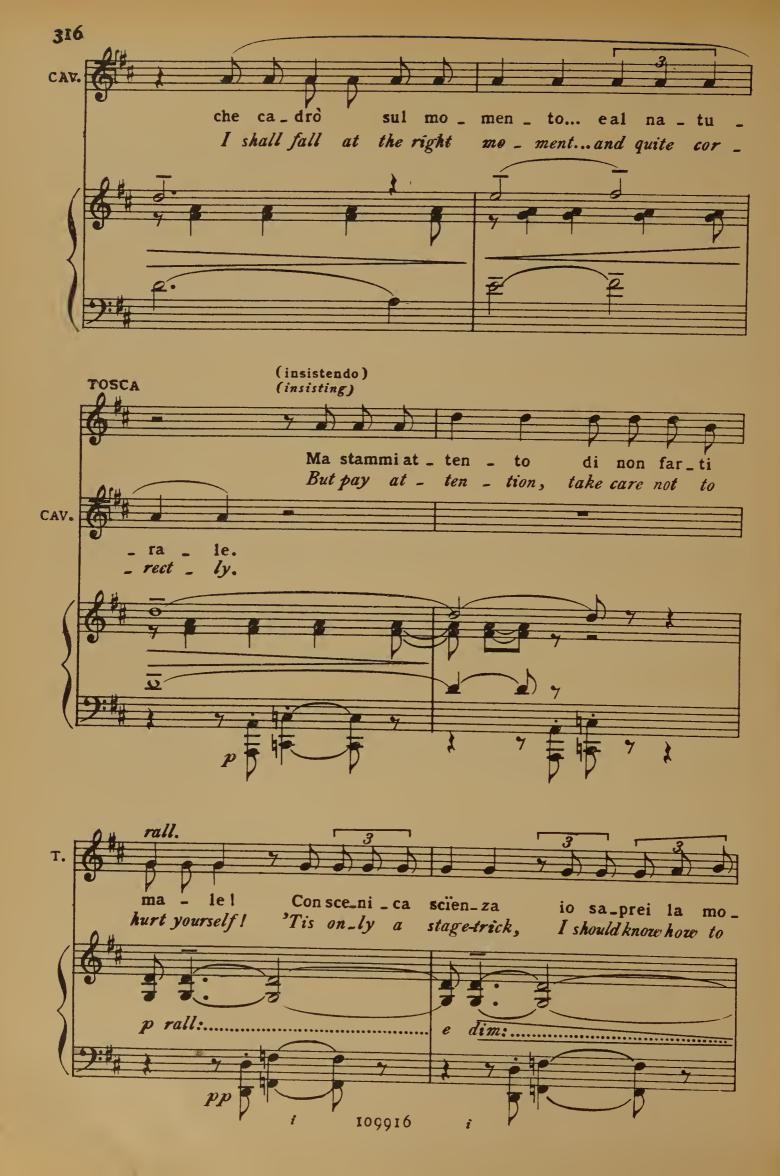


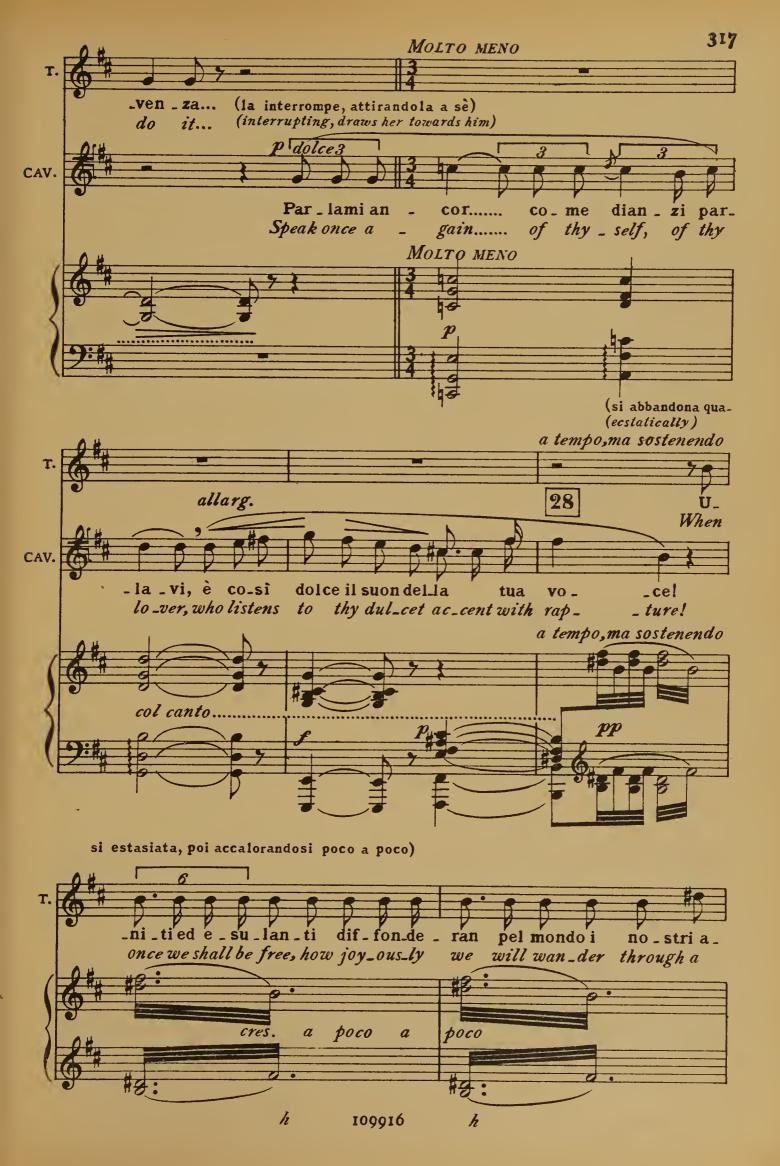


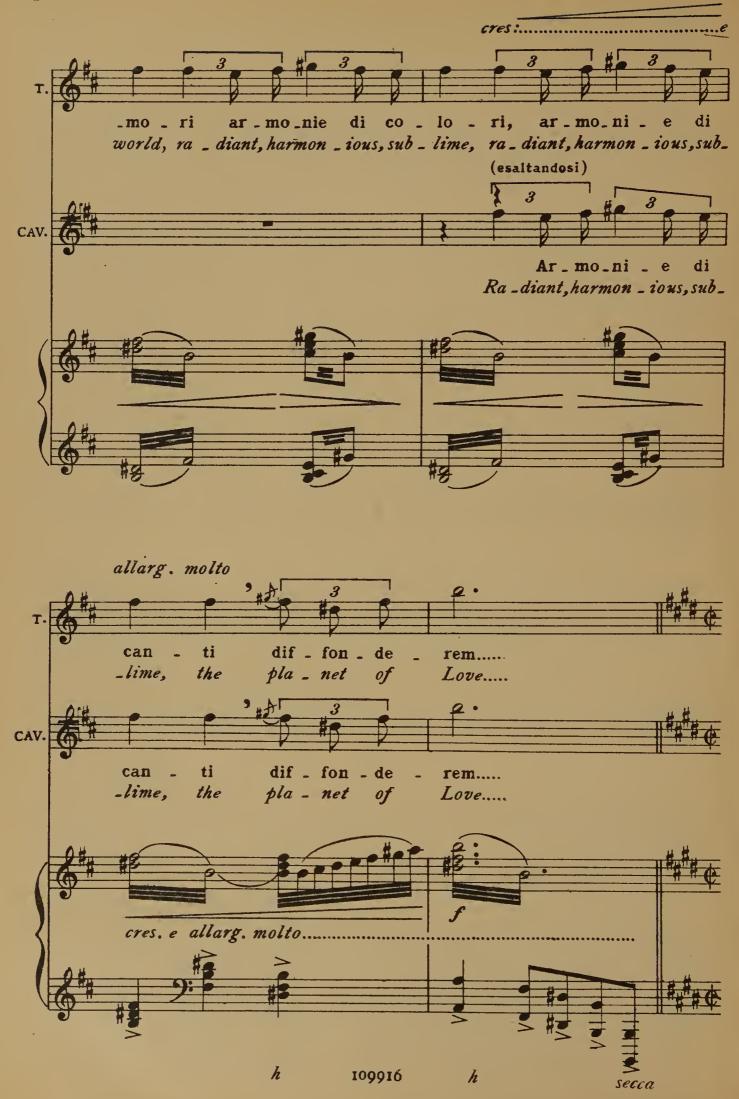




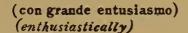








(Dalla scaletta sale un drappello di soldati: lo comanda un Ufficiale, il quale schiera i soldati (Enter, through the trapdoor, a firing-party of soldiers commanded by an officer, who parades it

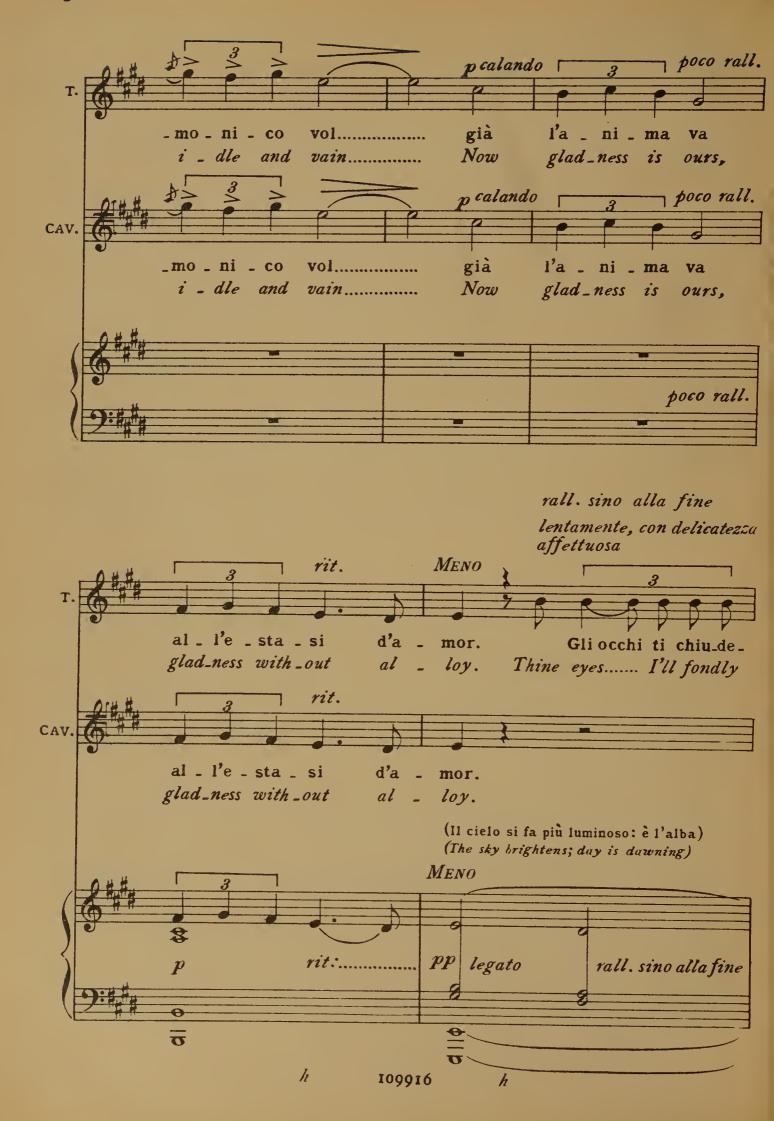




nel fondo; seguono Spoletta, il Sergente, il Carceriere. Spoletta dà le necessarie istruzioni) at the back of the stage. Spoletta, the sergeant and the jailer follow him. Spoletta imparts the necessary instructions)

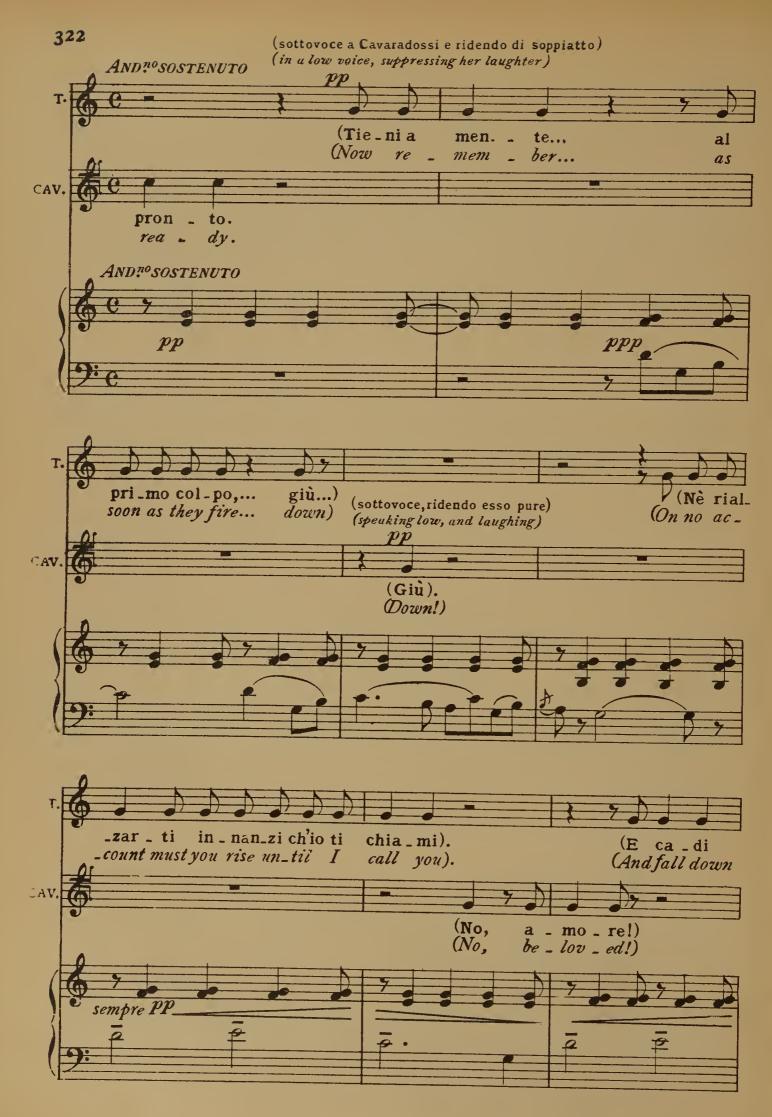


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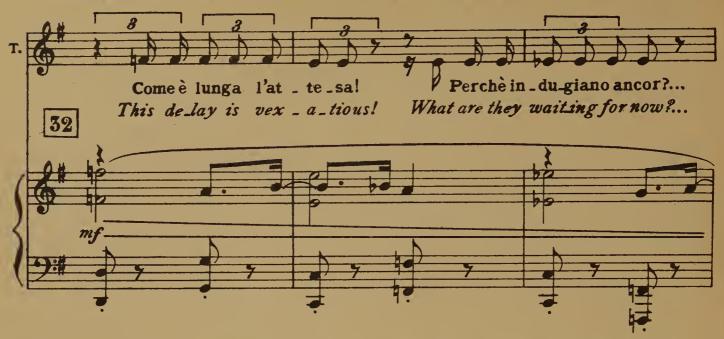






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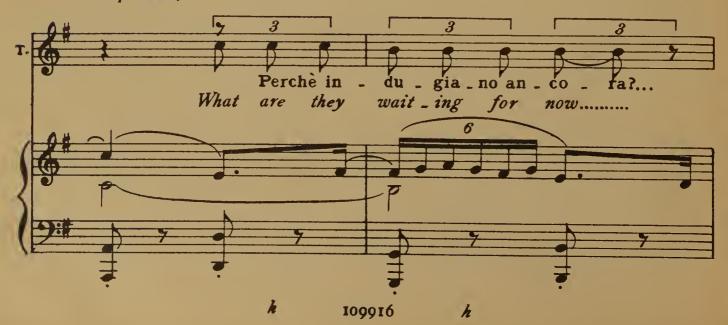
(vede l'Ufficiale ed il Sergente che conducono Cavaradossi presso al muro di faccia a lei: il Ser, [watching the officer and sergeant, who lead Cav. up to the wall facing her: the Sergeant offers



gente vuol porre la benda agli occhi di Cavaradossi: questi sorridendo, rifiuta Tali lugubri to bandage Cavaradossi's eyes, smiling Cav. declines. These lugubrious preliminaries weury

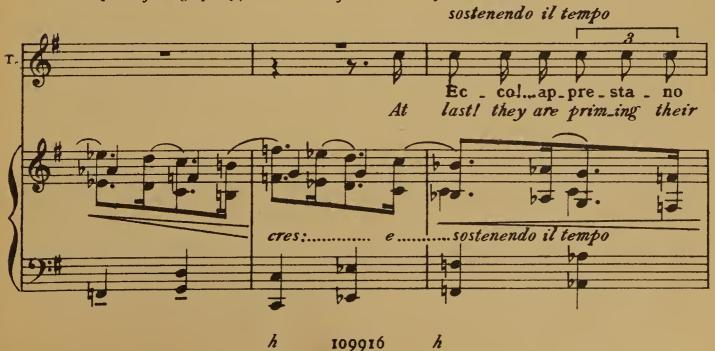


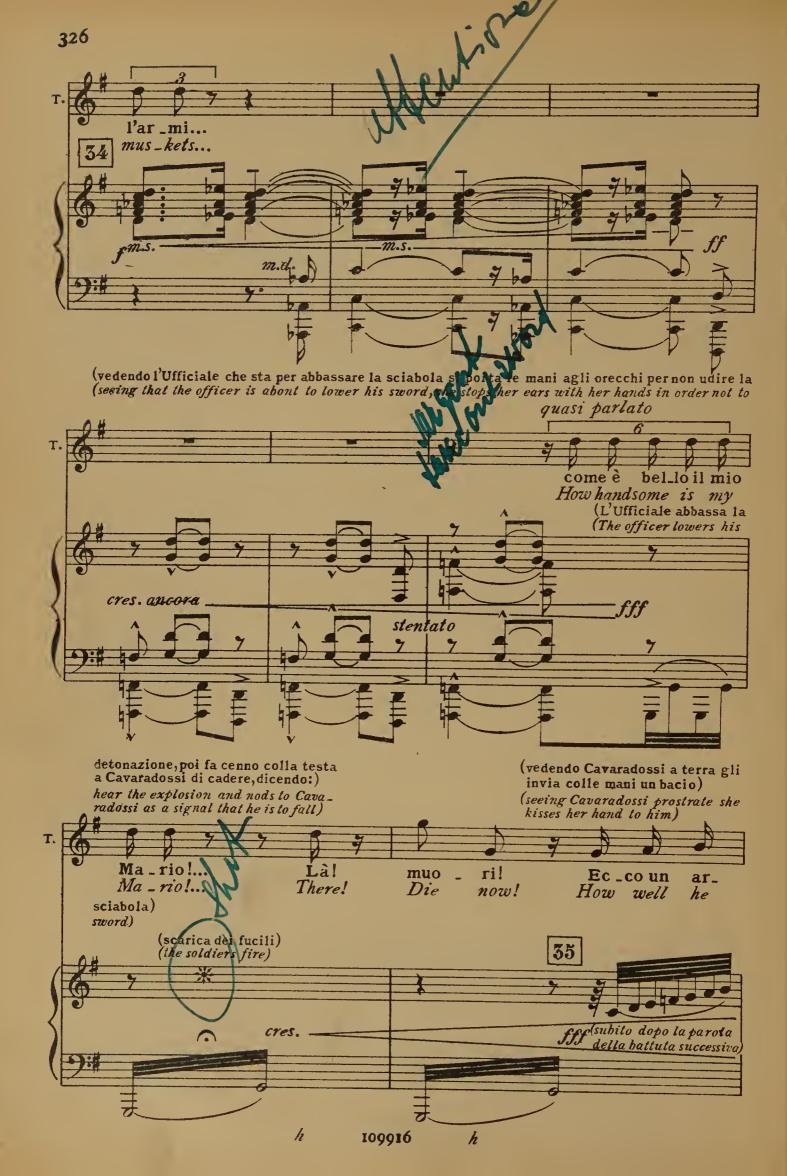
preparativi stancano la pazienza di Tosca)
Tosca's patience)





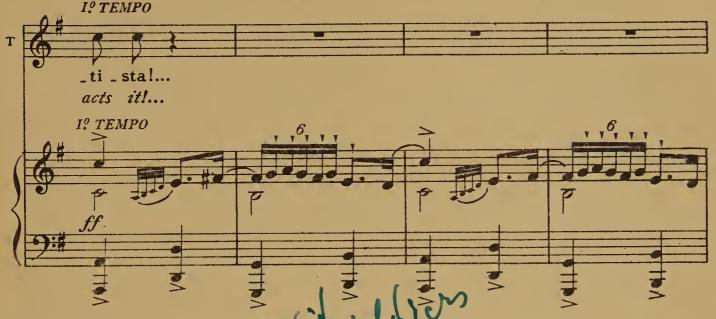
dispongono il pelottone dei soldati, impartendo gli ordini relativi) draw up the firing-party, in readiness for the word of command)





(Il Sergente si avvicina al caduto e lo osserva attentamente: Spoletta pure si è avvicinato ed allontana il Sergente impedendogli di dare il colpo di grazla. L'Ufficiale allinea i soldati: il Sergente ritira la sentinella che sta in fondo, poi tutti, preceduti da Spoletta, scendono la scala)

(The sergeant inspects the hody carefully; Spoletta hinders him from giving the customary coup de grace. The officer ranges his men in single file, the sergeant relieves the sentry C, and the whole party, preceded by Spoletta passes through the trap-door and down the steps.)



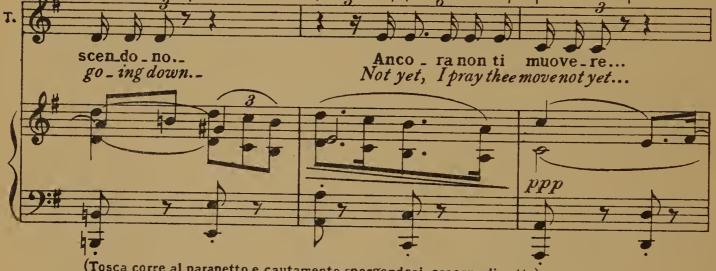
(Tosca agitatissima ha sorvegliato tutti questi movimenti temendo che Cavaradossi, per impazienza, si muova o parti prima del nomento apportuno)
(Tosca has watched their. every mevement unxiously, fearing that Cavaradossi, losing patience, should move or speak prematurely)



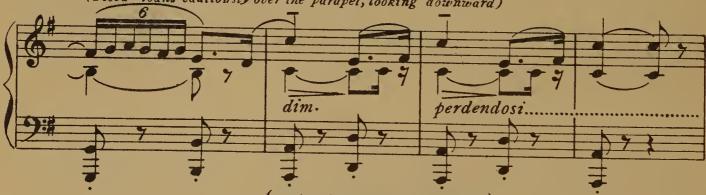




(parendole che i soldati ritornino sulla piattaforma, si rivolge di nuovo a Cavaradossi) (fancying that she hears the soldiers returning to the platform, she turns again to Cavar.)

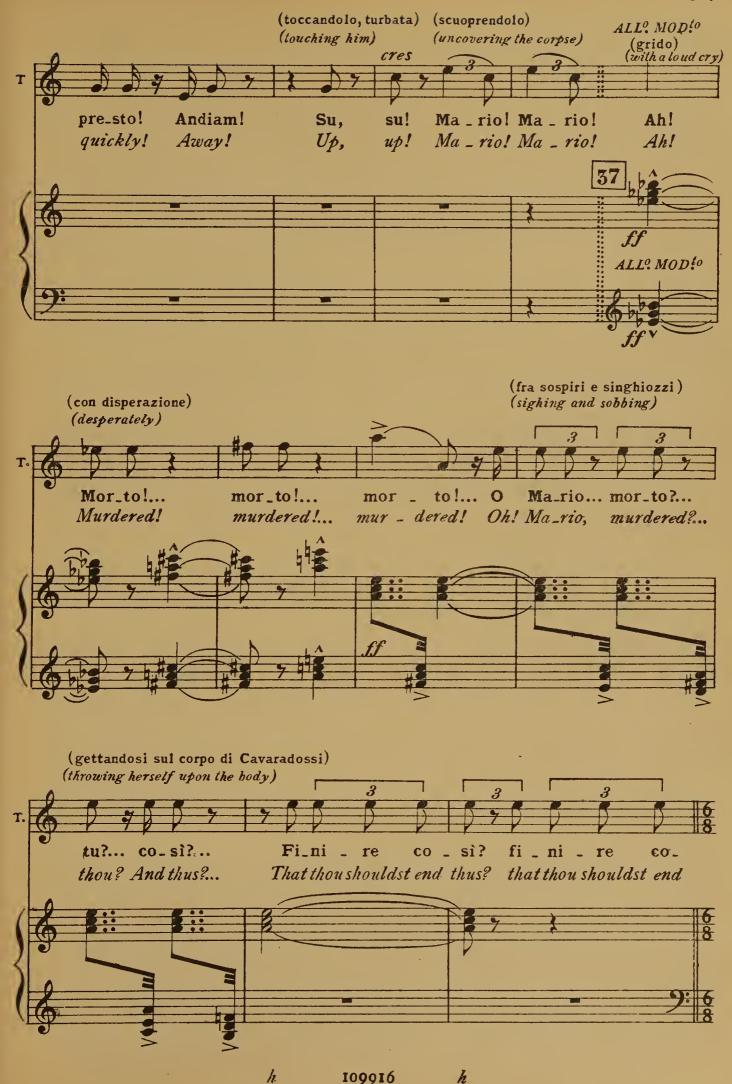


(Tosca corre al parapetto e cautamente sporgendosi, osserva di sotto) (Tosca leans cautiously over the parapet, looking downward)



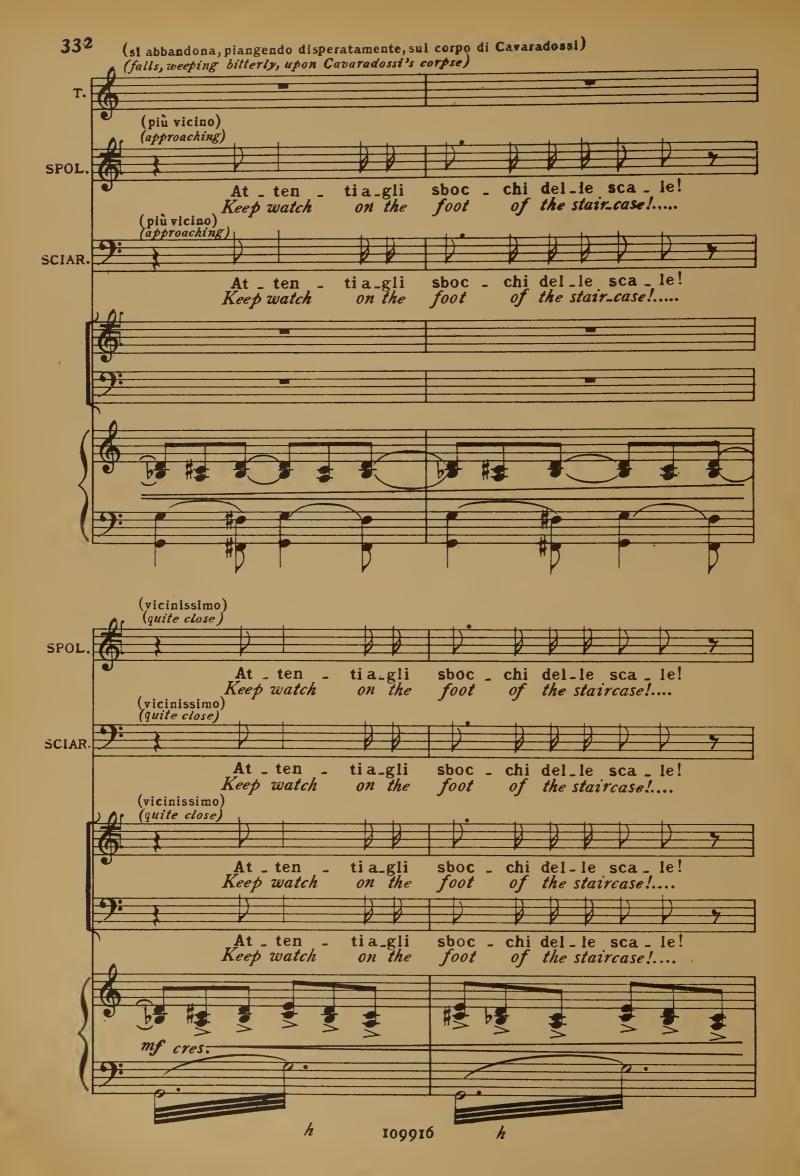
(mentre si avvicina a Cavaradossi)
(again approaching Cavaradossi)

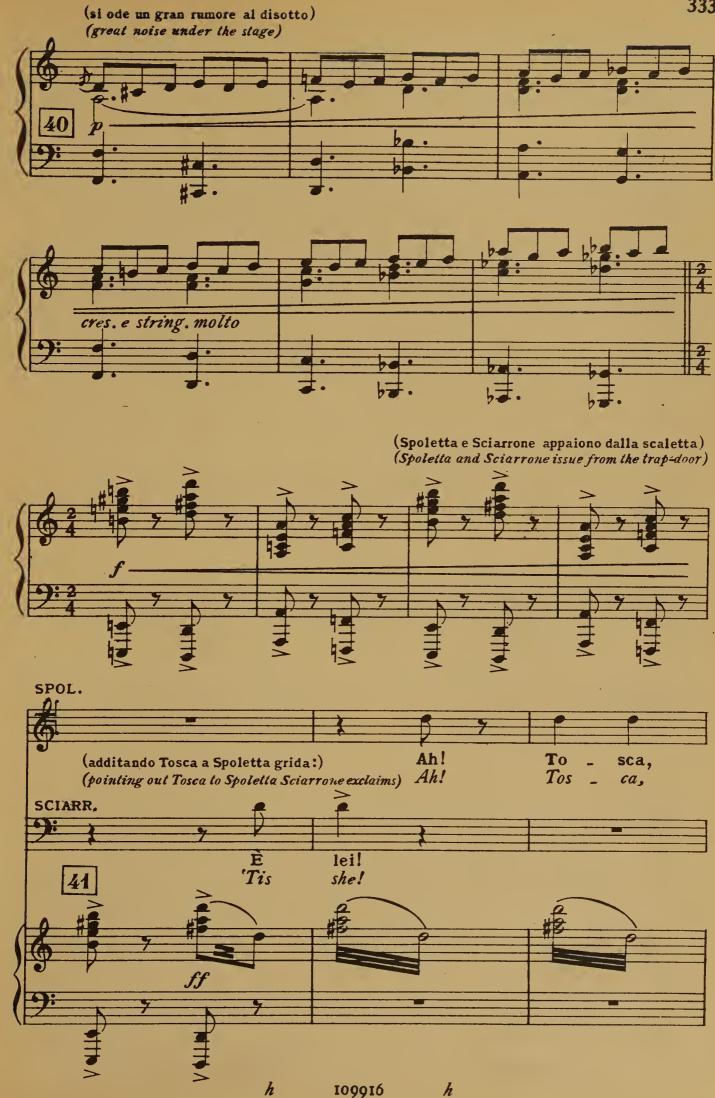














te da farlo quasi cadere riverso nella botola della scala, quindi corre al parapetto e dall'alto...... springs upon the parapet of the terrace)







confusamente, corrono al parapetto e guardano giù-Spoletta rimane esterrefatto, allibito.) emerge from the staircase in confusion, rush to the parapet, and lean over it, looking downward. Spoletta remains horror-stricken)







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